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COPY OF

HIS MAJESTY's Order in Council, of 1st *September* 1826, for the Admission, into the Ports of the United Kingdom, of certain sorts of Foreign Grain.

AT THE COURT AT WINDSOR,
the 1st of September 1826;

Present, The KING's most Excellent MAJESTY in Council.

WHEREAS by the Laws now in force for regulating the Importation of Corn, Oats and Oatmeal may be imported into the United Kingdom, and into the Isle of Man, for Home Consumption, under and subject to the Regulations of the several Statutes in that case made and provided, whenever the Average Price of Oats (to be ascertained in the manner therein prescribed) shall be at or above the Price of Twenty-seven Shillings the Quarter; and Pease may in like manner be imported, whenever the Price shall be at or above Fifty-three Shillings the Quarter: And whereas by a certain Act of Parliament made and passed in the third year of His present Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act to "amend the Laws relating to the Importation of Corn," it is enacted, That whenever Foreign Corn, Meal or Flour, shall be admissible under the provisions of an Act passed in the fifty-fifth year of the reign of his late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled, "An Act to amend the Law now in force for regulating "the Importation of Corn," or under the provisions of the said Act passed in the third year of His present Majesty, there shall be levied and paid certain Duties, therein specified, upon all such Foreign Corn, Meal or Flour, when admitted for Home Consumption: And whereas by the Weekly Returns of purchases and sales of Corn made by the several Inspectors of Corn Returns in the Cities and Towns of *England* and *Wales*, to the Receiver of Corn Returns, it appears, that the Average Price of Oats, and also the Average Price of Pease, at the present time, exceed the before-mentioned Prices of 27s and 53s per Quarter: And whereas from Information which hath this day been laid before His Majesty, it appears, that the Price of Oats, as well as that of Pease, is still rising, and that the Crop of Oats, and also the Crops of Pease and Beans, of the present year, have failed to a considerable extent, and that a Deficiency in the Crop of Potatoes is also apprehended in some parts of the United Kingdom: And whereas, if the Importation, for Home Consumption, of Oats and Oatmeal, and of Rye, Pease and Beans, be not immediately permitted, there is great cause to fear, that much distress may ensue to all Classes of His Majesty's Subjects: And whereas, under the Acts aforesaid, no Foreign Grain of the above description, whatever

may be the respective Average Prices of the same, can be admitted to Entry, for Home Consumption, till after the 15th day of November in the present year, when the next Quarterly Average, by which the Admission of such Grain is regulated, will be made up, according to the provisions of the said Acts; HIS MAJESTY, with the Advice of His Privy Council, doth Order, and it is hereby accordingly Ordered, THAT Foreign Oats and Oatmeal, Rye, Pease and Beans, whether warehoused or otherwise, shall and may, from the Date hereof, be permitted to be entered in the Ports of the United Kingdom, and of the Isle of Man, for Home Consumption; provided the parties making Entry of any such Foreign Oats, Oatmeal, Rye, Pease or Beans, do give Bond, with sufficient Sureties, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, for the payment of any Duties, not exceeding in amount the Duties hereinafter mentioned, in case Parliament shall authorize the levy and receipt thereof; that is to say;

	s. d.
Oats, per Quarter - - - - -	*2/.*
Oatmeal, per Boll - - - - -	*2/2*
Rye, Pease and Beans, per Quarter - -	3/6.

And HIS MAJESTY, by and with the Advice aforesaid, doth hereby further Order, and it is accordingly Ordered, That such Permission to enter Oats and Oatmeal, Rye, Pease and Beans, for Home Consumption, on the conditions aforesaid, shall continue in force, from the date hereof, until the expiration of Forty Days, to be reckoned from the day of the next Meeting of Parliament; unless the Parliament shall, previously to the expiration of the said Forty Days, make provision to the contrary. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

(signed) *C. C. Greville.*

A true Copy.

C. C. Greville.

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Oats, per Quarter - - - - -	2/
Oatmeal, per Boll - - - - -	2
Rye, Pease and Beans, per Quarter - -	3/6.

And HIS MAJESTY, by and with the Advice aforesaid, doth hereby further Order, and it is accordingly Ordered, That such Extension to Foreign Oats and Oatmeal, Rye, Pease and Beans, for Home Consumption, on the conditions aforesaid, shall continue in force, from the date hereof, until the expiration of Forty Days, to be reckoned from the day of the next Meeting of Parliament; unless the Parliament shall, previously to the expiration of the said Forty Days, make provision to the contrary; [illegible] the Right Honourable [illegible] Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions [illegible]

(signed) C. C. Greville.

A true Copy,

C. C. Greville.

FOREIGN GRAIN.

COPY OF

HIS MAJESTY's Order in Council, of 1st *September* 1826, for the Admission, into the Ports of the United Kingdom, of certain sorts of Foreign Grain.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
22 *November* 1826.

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Veneris, 23° die Martij, 1827.

RESOLUTIONS

Reported from the Committee of the whole House, to whom it was referred to consider of the Act 55 Geo. 3. c. 26. to amend the Laws now in force for regulating the Importation of CORN; and also of the Act 6 Geo. IV. c. 65. to allow, until the fifteenth day of August 1825, the Entry of warehoused Corn, Grain, and Wheaten Flour for Home Consumption, on Payment of Duty.

1. *RESOLVED,*

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That any sort of Corn, Grain, Meal and Flour, which may now by Law be imported into the United Kingdom, should at all times be admissible for home use, upon payment of the Duties following; *videlicet*,

If Imported from any Foreign Country:

	£.	s.	d.
WHEAT:—			
——— Whenever the Average price of Wheat, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 60*s.* and under 61*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - -	1	0	0
- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 60*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 2*s.* until such price shall be 70*s.*			
——— Whenever such price shall be at or above 70*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - -	0	1	0
——— Whenever such price shall be under 60*s.* and not under 59*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - -	1	2	0
- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 59*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 2*s.*			
BARLEY:—			
——— Whenever the Average price of Barley, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 32*s.* and under 33*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - -	0	12	0
- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 32*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 1*s.* 6*d.* until such price shall be 40*s.*			
——— Whenever such price shall be at or above 40*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - -	0	1	0
——— Whenever such price shall be under 32*s.* and not under 31*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - -	0	13	6
- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 31*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 1*s.* 6*d.*			
OATS:—			
———Whenever the Average price of Oats, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 24*s.* and under 25*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - -	0	9	0
- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 24*s.* such duty shall be decreased by 1*s.* 6*d.* until such price shall be 30*s.*			

OATS:—

OATS—*continued.*

——Whenever such price shall be at or above 30*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 1 0

——Whenever such price shall be under 24*s.* and not under 23*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - 0 10 6

- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 23*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 1*s.* 6*d.*

RYE, PEASE, AND BEANS:—

——— Whenever the Average price of Rye, or of Pease, or of Beans, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 35*s.* and under 36*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - 0 15 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 35*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 1*s.* 6*d.* until such price shall be 45*s.*

——— Whenever such price shall be at or above 45*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 1 0

——— Whenever such price shall be under 35*s.* and not under 34*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - 0 16 6

- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 34*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 1*s.* 6*d.*

WHEAT-MEAL, AND FLOUR:—

——— For every Barrel, being 196lbs.——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on five Bushels of Wheat.

OATMEAL:—

——— For every quantity of 190lbs.——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on a Quarter of Oats.

MAIZE, OR INDIAN CORN,
BUCK-WHEAT, BEER OR BIGG:—

——— For every Quarter——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on a Quarter of Barley.

If the Produce of and Imported from any British Possession in North America, or elsewhere out of Europe:

WHEAT:—

——— For every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 5 0

- - - - Until the price of British Wheat made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 65*s.* per Quarter.

——Whenever such price shall be at or above 65*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 0 6

BARLEY:—

——— For every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 2 6

- - - - Until the price of British Barley, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 33*s.* per Quarter.

——— Whenever such price shall be at or above 33*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 0 6

OATS:—

——— For every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 2 0

- - - - Until the price of British Oats, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 24*s.* *per* Quarter.

——— Whenever such price shall be at or above 24*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 0 6

RYE, BEANS, AND PEASE:—

——— For every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 3 0

- - - - Until the price of British Rye, or of Beans, or of Pease, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 40*s.*

——— Whenever such price shall be at or above 40*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 0 6

WHEAT-

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——————————— For every Barrel, being 196 lbs.——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on Five Bushels of Wheat.

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BUCK-WHEAT, BEER OR BIGG:—

——————————————— For every Quarter——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on a Quarter of Barley.

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2. *RESOLVED,*

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That all the said DUTIES shall be regulated and determined from week to week by the Average Prices of Corn, made up in manner required by Law; which Prices shall at the several Ports of the United Kingdom determine the several Rates of the said Duties for and during the week next after the receipt of the proper Certificates of such Average Prices at such Ports respectively.

Veneris, 23° die Martij, 1827.

RESOLUTIONS

Reported from the Committee of the Whole House, to whom it was referred to consider of the Act 55 Geo. 3. c. 26. to amend the Laws now in force for regulating the Importation of Corn; and also of the Act 6 Geo. IV. c. 65. to allow, until the fifteenth day of August 1825, the Entry of Warehoused Corn, Grain, and Wheaten Flour, for Home Consumption on payment of Duty.

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RESOLUTIONS

TO BE PROPOSED

ON THE CORN LAWS,

BY MR. WOLRYCHE WHITMORE.

WHEAT:— £. s. d.

———Whenever the average price of Wheat, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 50*s.* and under 51*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - 1 0 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 50*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 2*s.* until such price shall be 55*s.*

———Whenever such price shall be 55*s.* and not exceeding 65*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - 0 10 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 65*s.* such Duty shall be further decreased by 2*s.* until such price shall be 70*s.*

———Whenever such price shall be at or above 70*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 1 0

- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 50*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 2*s.*

BARLEY:—

———Whenever the average price of Barley, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 25*s.* and under 26*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - 0 10 0

- - - And in respect of every integral shilling, by which such price shall be above 25*s.* such Duty shall be decreased 1*s.* until such price shall be 30*s.*

——— Whenever such price shall be 30*s.* and not exceeding 35*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - 0 5 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 35*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 2*s.* until such price shall be 37*s.*

——— Whenever the price shall be at or above 37*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 1 0

- - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 25*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 1*s.* 6*d.*

OATS:—

OATS:—

——— Whenever the average price of Oats, made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 17*s.* and under 18*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - 0 7 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 17*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 1*s.* until such price shall be 21*s.*

——— Whenever such price shall be 21*s.* and not exceeding 26*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - 0 3 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 26*s.* such Duty shall be decreased 1*s.* until such price shall be 28*s.*

———Whenever such price shall be at or above 28*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - - 0 1 0

- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling by which such price shall be under 17*s.* such Duty shall be increased by 1*s.*

RYE, PEASE, AND BEANS:—

———Whenever the average price of Rye, Pease and Beans made up and published in manner required by Law, shall be 30*s.* and under 31*s.* the Quarter, the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - 0 14 6

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 30*s.* such Duty shall be decreased by 1*s.* 6*d.* until such price shall be 35*s.*

———Whenever such price shall be 35*s.* and not exceeding 41*s.* the Duty shall be for every quarter - - - - - - - - 0 7 0

- - - - And in respect of every integral shilling by which such price shall be above 41*s.* such duty shall be decreased 1*s.* 6*d.* until such price shall be 45*s.*

———Whenever such price shall be at or above 45*s.* the Duty shall be for every Quarter - - - - - - - - - 0 1 0

- - - - And in respect of each integral shilling, or any part of each integral shilling, by which such price shall be under 30*s.* the Duty shall be increased by 1*s.* 6*d.*

WHEAT-MEAL, AND FLOUR:—

———For every Barrel, being 196 lbs.——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on five Bushels of Wheat.

OATMEAL:—

———For every quantity of 252 lbs.——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on a Quarter of Oats.

MAIZE, OR INDIAN CORN,
BUCK-WHEAT, BEER OR BIGG:—

———For every Quarter——A Duty equal in amount to the Duty payable on a Quarter of Barley.

RESOLUTIONS

to be proposed

ON THE CORN LAWS,

By Mr. Wolryche Whitmore.

March 1827.

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16 *March* 1827.

RESOLUTIONS

TO BE PROPOSED,

ON THE CORN LAWS,

BY MR. HUME.

— 1. —

THAT from and after the 5th of July 1827, and until the 5th of July 1828, a duty of Fifteen Shillings shall be imposed on every Quarter of WHEAT imported from any Foreign Country into the United Kingdom; and, for the year from the 5th July 1828, to the 5th July 1829, a duty of Fourteen Shillings per Quarter; and, in every succeeding year afterwards, the duty shall be reduced *One* Shilling until the 5th of July 1833, after which time the duty of Ten Shillings shall remain a permanent and fixed duty, payable on every Quarter of WHEAT imported from Foreign Countries, except Canada, as hereafter provided for.

— 2. —

THAT, from and after the 5th of July 1827, and until the 5th of July 1828, a duty of Ten Shillings shall be imposed on every Quarter of BARLEY imported from any Foreign Country into the United Kingdom; and, for the year from 5th July 1828 to the 5th July 1829, a duty of Nine Shillings per Quarter; and, for the year from 5th July 1829 to 5th July 1830, a duty of Eight Shillings per Quarter; and from and after the 5th July 1830, a duty of Seven Shillings shall remain a permanent and fixed duty, payable on every Quarter of BARLEY imported from Foreign Countries, except from Canada, as hereafter provided for.

— 3. —

THAT from and after the 5th of July 1827, and until the 5th of July 1828, a duty of Eight Shillings shall be imposed on every Quarter of OATS imported from any Foreign Country into the United Kingdom; and for the year from the 5th July 1828 to the 5th July 1829, a duty of Seven Shillings per Quarter; and from and after the 5th of July 1829, a duty of Six Shillings shall remain a permanent and fixed duty, payable on every Quarter of OATS imported from any Foreign Country, except from Canada, as hereafter provided for.

RESOLUTIONS

to be proposed

ON THE CORN LAWS,

BY MR. HUME.

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16 *March* 1827.

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ACCOUNTS RELATING TO
CORN, &c.

— 1. —

AN ACCOUNT showing the total quantity of WHEAT exported from, and imported into Great Britain, between the Years 1697 and 1814; distinguishing for each year the difference between the Quantity Exported and the Quantity Imported, and specifying separately the Five consecutive Years of the above Period in which the excess of Export was the greatest, showing that Excess for each, and the aggregate for the whole of the said Five Years, and also the price of Wheat according to the Eton Tables, reduced to the Winchester measure for each, and the aggregate average Price for the whole of the said Five Years.

YEARS.	WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR Imported into and Exported from Great Britain.			
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
1697	400	14,698	-	14,298
1698	1,689	6,886	-	5,197
1699	486	557	-	71
1700	5	49,057	-	49,052
1701	1	98,324	-	98,323
1702	-	90,230	-	90,230
1703	50	106,615	-	106,565
1704	2	90,314	-	90,312
1705	-	96,185	-	96,185
1706	77	188,332	-	188,255
1707	-	174,155	-	174,155
1708	86	83,969	-	83,883
1709	1,552	71,618	-	70,066
1710	400	16,607	-	16,207
1711	-	80,941	-	80,941
1712	-	148,539	-	148,539
1713	-	179,969	-	179,969
1714	16	180,665	-	180,649
1715	-	173,237	-	173,237
1716	-	75,876	-	75,876
1717	-	25,637	-	25,637
1718	-	74,381	-	74,381
1719	20	130,533	-	130,513
1720	-	84,343	-	84,343
1721	-	82,748	-	82,748
1722	-	178,915	-	178,915
1723	-	158,082	-	158,082
1724	148	247,162	-	247,014
1725	12	211,175	-	211,163
1726	-	143,626	-	143,626
1727	-	31,030	-	31,030
1728	74,574	3,935	70,639	—
1729	40,315	18,993	21,322	—
1730	76	94,530	-	94,454
1731	4	130,650	-	130,646
1732	-	202,612	-	202,612
1733	7	427,425	-	427,418
1734	7	498,747	-	498,740
1735	9	155,280	-	155,271

ACCOUNT, N° 1,—*continued.*

YEARS.	WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR Imported into and Exported from Great Britain.			
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
1736	18	118,218	-	118,200
1737	32	466,071	-	466,039
1738	3	588,284	-	588,281
1739	23	285,492	-	285,469
1740	5,469	54,391	-	48,922
1741	7,540	45,417	-	37,877
1742	1	295,698	-	295,697
1743	3	375,979	-	375,976
1744	2	234,274	-	234,272
1745	6	325,340	-	325,334
1746	-	131,105	-	131,105
1747	-	270,491	-	270,491
1748	6	545,240	-	545,234
1749	382	631,007	-	630,625
1750	280	950,483	-	950,203
1751	3	662,957	-	662,954
1752	-	430,117	-	430,117
1753	-	300,754	-	300,754
1754	201	356,781	-	356,580
1755	-	237,466	-	237,466
1756	5	102,752	-	102,747
1757	141,562	11,545	130,017	—
1758	20,353	9,234	11,119	—
1759	162	227,641	-	227,479
1760	3	393,614	-	393,611
1761	-	441,956	-	441,956
1762	56	295,385	-	295,329
1763	72	429,538	-	429,466
1764	1	396,857	-	396,856
1765	104,547	167,126	-	62,579
1766	11,020	164,939	-	153,919
1767	497,905	5,071	492,834	—
1768	349,268	7,433	341,835	—
1769	4,378	49,892	-	45,514
1770	34	75,449	-	75,415
1771	2,510	10,089	-	7,579
1772	25,474	6,959	18,515	—
1773	56,857	7,637	49,220	—
1774	289,149	15,928	273,221	—
1775	560,988	91,037	469,951	—
1776	20,578	210,664	-	190,086
1777	233,323	87,686	145,637	—
1778	106,394	141,070	-	34,676
1779	5,039	222,261	-	217,222
1780	3,915	224,059	-	220,144
1781	159,866	103,021	56,845	—
1782	80,695	145,152	-	64,457
1783	584,183	51,943	532,240	—

YEARS.	WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR Imported into and Exported from Great Britain.			
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
1784	216,947	89,288	127,659	—
1785	110,863	132,685	-	21,822
1786	51,463	205,466	-	154,003
1787	59,339	120,536	-	61,197
1788	148,710	82,971	65,739	—
1789	112,656	140,014	-	27,358
1790	222,557	30,892	191,665	—
1791	469,056	70,626	398,430	—
1792	22,417	300,278	-	277,861
1793	490,398	76,869	413,529	—
1794	327,902	155,048	172,854	—
1795	313,793	18,839	294,954	—
1796	879,200	24,679	854,521	—
1797	461,767	54,525	407,242	—
1798	396,721	59,782	336,939	—
1799	463,185	39,362	423,823	—
1800	1,264,520	22,013	1,242,507	—
1801	1,424,765	28,406	1,396,359	—
1802	647,663	149,304	498,359	—
1803	373,725	76,580	297,145	—
1804	461,140	63,073	398,067	—
1805	920,834	77,955	842,879	—
1806	310,342	29,566	280,776	—
1807	404,946	25,113	379,833	—
1808	84,889	98,005	-	13,116
1809	455,987	31,278	424,709	—
1810	1,567,126	75,785	1,491,341	—
1811	336,131	97,765	238,366	—
1812	290,710	46,325	244,385	—
1813	559,000	records destroyed.	—	—

Note.—THE five consecutive Years of the above period in which the Excess of Export was the greatest, were—	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.	Prices of Wheat according to the Eton Tables, reduced to the Winchester Measure.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	s. d.
1748	6	545,240	-	545,234	32 10½
1749	382	631,007	-	630,625	32 10½
1750	280	950,483	-	950,203	28 10¾
1751	3	662,957	-	662,954	34 2½
1752	-	430,117	-	430,117	40 8¾
Aggregate	671	3,219,804	-	3,219,133	169 7
Annual Average	134	643,961	-	643,827	33 11

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WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Export.

— 2. —

AN ACCOUNT of the total quantity of WHEAT exported from and imported into Great Britain, from the Year 1770 to 1792, both inclusive; specifying, for each Year, and also for the whole period, the difference between the quantity Imported, and the quantity Exported.

YEARS.	WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR Imported into and Exported from Great Britain.			
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
1770 - - -	34	75,449	- - -	75,415
1771 - - -	2,510	10,089	- - -	7,579
1772 - - -	25,474	6,959	18,515	—
1773 - - -	56,857	7,637	49,220	—
1774 - - -	289,149	15,928	273,221	—
1775 - - -	560,988	91,037	469,951	—
1776 - - -	20,578	210,664	- - -	190,086
1777 - - -	233,323	87,686	145,637	—
1778 - - -	106,394	141,070	- - -	34,676
1779 - - -	5,039	222,261	- - -	217,222
1780 - - -	3,915	224,059	- - -	220,144
1781 - - -	159,866	103,021	56,845	—
1782 - - -	80,695	145,152	- - -	64,457
1783 - - -	584,183	51,943	532,240	—
1784 - - -	216,947	89,288	127,659	—
1785 - - -	110,863	132,685	- - -	21,822
1786 - - -	51,463	205,466	- - -	154,003
1787 - - -	59,339	120,536	- - -	61,197
1788 - - -	148,710	82,971	65,739	—
1789 - - -	112,656	140,014	- - -	27,358
1790 - - -	222,557	30,892	191,665	—
1791 - - -	469,056	70,626	398,430	—
1792 - - -	22,417	300,278	- - -	277,861
Total of the above 23 years.	3,543,013	2,565,711	977,302	—

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WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 3. —

AN ACCOUNT of the Average Prices of WHEAT, as published in the London Gazette, from the Year 1770 to 1825, both inclusive, in periods of Ten Years.

YEARS.	AVERAGE.		YEARS.	AVERAGE.	
	s.	*d.*		*s.*	*d.*
1770 - - -	41	4 per q^{r}.	1800 - - -	110	5 per q^{r}.
1771 - - -	47	2	1801 - - -	115	11
1772 - - -	50	8	1802 - - -	67	9
1773 - - -	51	–	1803 - - -	57	1
1774 - - -	52	8	1804 - - -	60	5
1775 - - -	48	4	1805 - - -	87	1
1776 - - -	38	2	1806 - - -	76	9
1777 - - -	45	6	1807 - - -	73	1
1778 - - -	42	–	1808 - - -	78	11
1779 - - -	33	8	1809 - - -	94	5
Average of Ten Years -	45	–	Average of Ten Years -	82	2
1780 - - -	35	8	1810 - - -	103	3
1781 - - -	44	8	1811 - - -	92	5
1782 - - -	47	10	1812 - - -	122	8
1783 - - -	52	8	1813 - - -	106	6
1784 - - -	48	10	1814 - - -	72	1
1785 - - -	51	10	1815 - - -	63	8
1786 - - -	38	10	1816 - - -	76	2
1787 - - -	41	2	1817 - - -	94	–
1788 - - -	45	–	1818 - - -	83	8
1789 - - -	51	2	1819 - - -	72	3
Average of Ten Years -	45	9	Average of Ten Years -	88	8
1790 - - -	53	2	1820 - - -	65	10
1791 - - -	47	2	1821 - - -	54	5
1792 - - -	41	9	1822 - - -	43	3
1793 - - -	47	10	1823 - - -	51	9
1794 - - -	50	8	1824 - - -	62	–
1795 - - -	72	11	1825 - - -	66	6
1796 - - -	76	3	Average of Six Years -	57	3
1797 - - -	52	2			
1798 - - -	50	4			
1799 - - -	66	11			
Average of Ten Years -	55	11			

WILLIAM JACOB,
Receiver of Corn Returns.

December 8th, 1826.

4.—AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of WHEAT, RYE, BARLEY, and OATS, Imported Flanders and France, in the Years 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809, 1810, 1811, 1812 and 1813; Import of each year, and the total Average of Import

SPECIES.	COUNTRIES.	IMPORTED 1806:	1807:	1808:
		Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR.	RUSSIA	56,733	5,711	550
	Sweden	-	-	-
	Denmark	1,386	10,425	64
	Prussia	51,524	11,465	-
	Germany	-	3,407	2,236
	Holland	765	11,415	1,952
	Flanders	-	-	2
	France	1,786	27,657	2,870
	Total from the above Countries	112,194	70,080	6,774
RYE and RYE MEAL.	RUSSIA	500	265	-
	Sweden	-	-	-
	Denmark	-	-	3
	Prussia	-	-	-
	Germany	-	-	249
	Holland	-	8	-
	Flanders	-	-	-
	France	-	2,816	-
	Total from the above Countries	500	3,089	252
BARLEY and BARLEY MEAL.	RUSSIA	183	201	2
	Sweden	-	-	-
	Denmark	190	418	1,731
	Prussia	685	-	-
	Germany	-	2,151	628
	Holland	-	109	-
	Flanders	-	-	-
	France	1,000	78	260
	Total from the above Countries	2,058	2,957	2,621
OATS and OATMEAL.	RUSSIA	-	2	-
	Sweden	-	-	-
	Denmark	8,708	61,070	1
	Prussia	37,368	10,750	-
	Germany	107,974	130,356	21,971
	Holland	29,148	222,249	11,170
	Flanders	-	-	-
	France	-	96	109
	Total from the above Countries	183,198	424,523	33,251

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into Great Britain from the Ports of Russia, Sweden, Denmark, Prussia, Germany, Holland, specifying the Quantities of each from each Country, in each year; the total annual of each sort of Grain in the whole period of Eight Years.

INTO GREAT BRITAIN:

1809:	1810:	1811:	1812:	1813:	Annual Average of the Eight Years.
Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
3,437	58,133	27,969	50,974	58,028	32,692
781	68,398	19,038	11,543	66,085	20,731
8,846	110,500	18,009	19,589	19,815	23,579
1,527	296,757	95,171	9,063	115,946	72,682
35,578	176,464	1,628	603	79,365	37,410
94,267	189,016	- - -	- - -	- - -	37,064
20,198	167,154	- - -	- - -	- - -	23,419
25,058	225,711	4,186	436	- - -	35,963
189,692	1,292,133	166,001	92,208	339,239	283,540
539	6,793	6,216	60,342	6,776	10,179
369	12,592	5,325	3,376	997	2,832
- - -	2,921	11,147	3,031	1,864	2,371
- - -	15,015	1,853	- - -	9,713	3,322
4,084	34,676	242	- - -	14,019	6,659
3,063	8,478	- - -	- - -	- - -	1,444
- - -	1,286	- - -	- - -	- - -	161
395	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	401
8,450	81,761	24,783	66,749	33,369	27,369
- - -	331	14,206	15,294	128	3,793
- - -	1,103	10,613	- - -	- - -	1,464
- - -	3,995	8,417	19,281	9,750	5,473
- - -	264	210	- - -	2,444	450
7,258	6,053	218	- - -	3,657	2,496
1,212	386	- - -	- - -	- - -	213
- - -	213	- - -	- - -	- - -	27
- - -	254	- - -	- - -	- - -	199
8,470	12,599	33,664	34,575	15,979	14,115
- - -	6	94	1,779	- - -	235
- - -	2,872	2,577	- - -	3,508	1,120
90	14,752	6,917	10,115	27,013	16,083
- - -	875	14	- - -	770	6,222
101,652	30,480	- - -	- - -	26,159	52,324
188,869	62,098	- - -	- - -	- - -	64,192
420	820	- - -	- - -	- - -	155
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	25
291,031	111,903	9,602	11,894	57,450	140,356

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 5. —

Return to an Order of the Honourable House of Commons,
dated December 4th, 1826; requiring

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of Wheat, Rye, Barley and Oats, arrived in the Port of *London*, in the Years 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809, 1810, 1811, 1812 and 1813; the Total Quantities of each, in each Year; and distinguishing British from Foreign.

THE Records exhibiting the information required by the above recited Order of the Honourable House of Commons, were destroyed by the fire at the Custom House, in 1814.

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WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 6. —

AN ACCOUNT of the total quantity of WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR imported into Great Britain from the United States of America, and North American Colonies, from the Year 1800 to 1825, inclusive; and specifying the quantity of each year.

YEARS.	WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR Imported into Great Britain.		
	From the United States of America.	From the British North American Colonies.	TOTAL.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
1800 - - - -	77,610	21,258	98,868
1801 - - - -	245,372	67,595	312,967
1802 - - - -	79,413	75,164	154,577
1803 - - - -	109,131	43,245	152,376
1804 - - - -	4,259	21,214	25,473
1805 - - - -	13,453	2,250	15,703
1806 - - - -	79,764	9,800	89,564
1807 - - - -	249,713	27,259	276,972
1808 - - - -	12,836	18,489	31,325
1809 - - - -	170,939	18,766	189,705
1810 - - - -	98,274	24,203	122,477
1811 - - - -	18,011	340	18,351
1812 - - - -	10,797	23,724	34,521
1813 - - - -	811	1	812
1814 - - - -	2	3	5
1815 - - - -	45,584	25	45,609
1816 - - - -	7,209	3	7,212
1817 - - - -	311,436	25,197	336,633
1818 - - - -	181,561	54,137	235,698
1819 - - - -	27,797	10,423	38,220
1820 - - - -	90,942	40,736	131,678
1821 - - - -	38,488	40,613	79,101
1822 - - - -	3,953	23,261	27,214
1823 - - - -	4,237	209	4,446
1824 - - - -	33,781	891	34,672
1825 - - - -	12,830	94,043	106,873
Aggregate quantity Imported in the above twenty-six years - -	1,928,203	642,849	2,571,052

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Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

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7.—AN ACCOUNT of the total Quantity of FOREIGN BARLEY Imported into Great Britain, from the Sixteen Years; and specifying the

COUNTRIES From which IMPORTED.	FOREIGN BARLEY, AND BARLEY						
	1801:	1802:	1803:	1804:	1805:	1806:	1807:
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
RUSSIA	1,605	93	426	577	1,332	183	201
Sweden	3,565	278	- -	- -	4,520	- -	- -
Norway / Denmark	1,309	35	- -	50	1,039	190	418
Prussia	24,117	2,653	- -	6,184	10,123	685	- -
Germany	69,787	4,560	- -	896	7,250	- -	2,151
Holland	12,068	516	- -	700	3,004	- -	109
Flanders	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
France	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1,000	78
Spain and Portugal	49	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Gibraltar	1	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Africa	- -	- -	- -	- -	10	- -	3
United States of America	390	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Prize Barley	1,076	- -	677	665	366	- -	6
TOTAL from Foreign Countries	113,967	8,135	1,103	9,072	27,644	2,058	2,966
Isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney and Man	- -	- -	45	2	- -	- -	77
TOTAL Quantity Imported from all parts	113,967	8,135	1,148	9,074	27,644	2,058	3,043
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Average Prices of Barley per Quarter in England	64 6	32 4	24 7	30 1	43 2	37 6	38 2

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Year 1800 to the Year 1816 inclusive; annexing the Average Price of Barley in England, during that period of Countries from whence imported.

MEAL IMPORTED INTO GREAT BRITAIN.

1808:	1809:	1810:	1811:	1812:	1813:	1814:	1815:	1816:	TOTAL Period of Sixteen Years.
Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
2	- -	331	14,206	15,294	128	- -	- -	101	34,479
- -	- -	1,103	10,613	- -	- -	306	- -	388	20,773
1,731	155	545	- -	- -	- -	- -	10	- -	54,350
	- -	3,995	8,417	19,281	9,750	3,174	1,124	3,127	
- -	- -	264	210	- -	2,444	2,690	- -	1,925	51,295
628	7,258	6,053	218	- -	3,657	2,684	86	2,767	107,995
- -	1,212	386	- -	- -	- -	7,164	192	2,411	27,762
- -	- -	213	- -	- -	- -	338	- -	3,323	3,874
260	- -	254	- -	- -	- -	11,717	441	823	14,573
95	202	455	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	801
- -	417	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	418
- -	5	2	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	20
- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	390
1,589	3,917	4,106	6,457	5,309	3,729	604	181	- -	28,682
4,305	13,166	17,707	40,121	39,884	19,708	28,677	2,034	14,865	345,412
359	185	290	6	511	–	575	436	1,375	3,861
4,664	13,351	17,997	40,127	40,395	19,708	29,252	2,470	16,240	349,273
									Average Price for the whole period.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
42 1	45 7	46 8	41 –	64 9	56 9	36 3	29 4	32 11	41 7

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 8. —

AN ACCOUNT of the total quantity of FOREIGN BARLEY imported into Great Britain in the Years 1817, 1818, and 1819, annexing the Average Price of Barley in England during those Three Years, and specifying the Countries from whence imported.

COUNTRIES From which IMPORTED.	FOREIGN BARLEY and BARLEY MEAL Imported into Great Britain		
	1817.	1818.	1819.
	Qrs.	*Qrs.*	*Qrs.*
RUSSIA	17,228	74,282	36,554
Sweden		507	1,067
Norway	361	251	—
Denmark	43,115	143,117	64,083
Prussia	44,762	166,135	134,233
Germany	19,992	149,390	108,774
Holland	4,530	96,175	15,884
Flanders	1,870	63,209	2,694
France	373	—	—
Spain and Portugal	1,431	141	2,941
Italy	76	944	3,825
Turkey		783	974
East Indies		4	—
British North American Colonies		165	1,018
United States of America	28	362	—
Total Quantity Imported from Foreign Countries	133,766	695,465	372,047
Isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney and Man	1,279	1,991	1,822
TOTAL Quantity Imported from all parts	135,045	697,456	373,869
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
Average Prices of Barley per Quarter in England	47 11	52 3	44 5

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— 9. —

AN ACCOUNT of the total quantity of MALT and BARLEY arrived in the Port of London in the period of 1806 to 1813, both inclusive; distinguishing British from Foreign, the quantities of each in each Year, the prices of each Year, and the total quantity of the whole period, and the total Average Price of the whole period.

That portion of the Account required by the above recited Order of The Honourable House of Commons which relates to the importations of Malt and Barley into the Port of London in the period between 1806 and 1813 cannot be furnished, the records exhibiting the information having been destroyed by the fire at the Custom House in 1814. The particulars relating to the average prices for the period in question are shown, conformably to the Order, in the Statement subjoined.

STATEMENT, showing the Average Prices of Barley in each Year from 1806 to 1813, both inclusive; and the Average Price for the whole period.

YEARS.	AVERAGE.		
	s.	*d.*	
1806	37	6	per quarter.
1807	38	2	—
1808	42	1	—
1809	45	7	—
1810	46	8	—
1811	41	—	—
1812	64	9	—
1813	56	9	—
Average for the whole period	46	6	

— 10. —

AN ACCOUNT of the quantity of MALT and BARLEY arrived in the Port of London, in the Years 1817, 1818, and 1819; distinguishing British from Foreign, the quantities of each in each Year, the prices of each Year, and the total quantity of the whole period, and the total Average Price of the whole period:

In so far as it relates to Foreign Barley and Malt.

	IMPORTED Into the Port of London from Foreign Countries.			
	1817.	1818.	1819.	Total Period of Three Years.
	Qrs.	*Qrs.*	*Qrs.*	*Qrs.*
Barley and Barley Meal	17,656	292,437	170,286	480,379
Malt	—	—	—	—
				Average Price for the Whole Period.
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
Average Price of Barley in England	47 11	52 3	44 5	48 2

Note.—The Records of the Coast Department of the Customs do not afford the means of supplying an Account of the Importations of British Barley and Malt into the Port of London for the period of the foregoing Statement.

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WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 11. —

AN ACCOUNT of the total quantity of WHEAT imported into Great Britain from Ireland, from the Year 1800 to 1819, both inclusive; annexing the total Average Price of Wheat in Great Britain on the whole period of Twenty Years.

	Quantities of Wheat and Wheat Flour imported into Great Britain from Ireland.
	Qrs.
Year 1800	749
1801	524
1802	109,519
1803	61,267
1804	70,071
1805	84,087
1806	102,463
1807	45,111
1808	43,497
1809	68,124
1810	127,510
1811	147,567
1812	160,843
1813	217,154
1814	225,821
1815	189,544
1816	121,631
1817	59,025
1818	108,230
1819	154,031
Total Quantity imported in the above Twenty Years	2,096,768
	s. *d.*
Average Price of Wheat for the whole period of Twenty Years	85 5

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
5 February 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 12. —

AN ACCOUNT of the total quantity of WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR imported from Ireland into Great Britain, from the Year 1820 to 1825, both inclusive; and annexing the aggregate Average Price of Wheat in England on the whole period of Six Years.

	Quantities of Wheat and Wheat Flour imported into Great Britain from Ireland.
	Qrs.
Year 1820 - - - - - -	404,747
1821 - - - - - -	569,700
1822 - - - - - -	463,004
1823 - - - - - -	400,068
1824 - - - - - -	356,408
1825 - - - - - -	396,018
Total Quantity imported in the above Six Years - -	2,589,945
	s. *d.*
Average Price of Wheat in England for the whole period of Six Years - - - - - - - -	57 3

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
5 February 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

ACCOUNTS RELATING

TO

CORN, &c.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
9 *February* 1827.

50.

FOREIGN CORN.

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable House of Commons, dated 27th February 1827;—*for*

AN ACCOUNT

Showing the Amount of all MONIES received for Duties payable upon Foreign Corn and Grain, Meal and Flour, imported into Great Britain and Ireland, and taken out of Warehouse for Home Consumption, since 1815; distinguishing the Amount in each Year, and made up to the present period.

	AMOUNT OF DUTY received in the United Kingdom, on Corn, Grain, Meal and Flour, delivered from the Warehouses for Home Consumption.		
	£.	s.	d.
Year - - - 1816 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1817 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1818 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1819 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1820 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1821 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1822 - - - -	—		
— - - - 1823 - - - -	10,310	4	3¼
— - - - 1824 - - - -	52,668	15	2¼
— - - - 1825 - - - -	260,488	18	8
— - - - 1826 - - - -	311,243	9	−½
— - - - 1827 to 27th February -	18,277	14	8

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
24 March 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

FOREIGN CORN.

ACCOUNT

Showing the Amount of Monies received for Duties upon Foreign Corn, Grain, Meal and Flour imported, and taken out of Warehouse for Home Consumption:

1816—1827.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
26 *March* 1827.

VESSELS LADEN WITH CORN.

RETURN

Of the Number of Vessels and Tonnage which have entered Inwards at the several Ports of *England* and *Scotland*, laden with Corn, Meal, or Flour, for Warehousing, or Home Consumption; 1825–1827.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
17 *May* 1827.

BIBL.

A RETURN of the Number of VESSELS and TONNAGE which have entered Inwards, laden, distinguishing the Port in which they have entered, and whether such

PORTS AT WHICH ENTERED.	VESSELS entered Inwards in *Great Britain*, between 1st August 1825 and 5th April 1827, having on board Foreign CORN, MEAL, or FLOUR.					
	BRITISH VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.
ENGLAND.						
LONDON	929	126,878	1,064	110,400	1,993	237,278
Faversham	4	195	1	90	5	285
Ramsgate	11	632	-	-	11	632
Dover	18	823	14	554	32	1,377
Rye	19	662	2	71	21	733
Newhaven	10	994	3	210	13	1,204
Shoreham	8	412	4	114	12	526
Arundel	1	58	-	-	1	58
Chichester	2	167	-	-	2	167
Portsmouth	7	750	37	1,437	44	2,187
Southampton	88	7,015	43	3,041	131	10,056
Cowes	21	1,809	7	1,965	28	3,774
Poole	10	1,252	1	130	11	1,382
Weymouth	1	90	-	-	1	90
Lyme	3	111	-	-	3	111
Exeter	5	472	3	82	8	554
Dartmouth	7	446	1	24	8	470
Plymouth	31	3,017	33	1,776	64	4,793
Fowey	-	-	1	29	1	29
Falmouth	3	362	3	222	6	584
Gweek	5	604	24	3,468	29	4,072
Penzance	-	-	2	114	2	114
St. Ives	-	-	6	555	6	555
Bristol	69	9,610	54	4,467	123	14,077
Chepstow	1	121	-	-	1	121
Cardiff	-	-	3	246	3	246
Swansea	1	40	-	-	1	40
Llanelly	-	-	2	149	2	149
Milford	1	54	-	-	1	54
Liverpool	292	42,963	292	56,151	584	99,114
Whitehaven	1	88	-	-	1	88
Berwick	3	245	1	161	4	406
Newcastle	363	63,043	332	30,292	695	93,335
Sunderland	7	1,148	2	128	9	1,276
Stockton	3	364	-	-	3	364
Scarborough	3	235	-	-	3	235
Bridlington	2	160	1	47	3	207
Hull	351	46,509	455	39,312	806	85,821

or having or board, CORN, MEAL, or FLOUR, for Warehousing or Home Consumption; Vessels be British or Foreign; from 1st August 1825 to 5th April 1827.

VESSELS entered Inwards in *Great Britain*, between 1st August 1825 and 5th April 1827, having on board Foreign CORN, MEAL, or FLOUR.

PORTS AT WHICH ENTERED.	BRITISH VESSELS.		FOREIGN VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.
ENGLAND—*continued.*						
Grimsby	16	1,957	26	2,338	42	4,295
Boston	41	3,431	12	741	53	4,172
Wisbech	1	86	-	-	1	86
Lynn	36	3,826	52	3,252	88	7,078
Wells	2	205	4	357	6	562
Blackney and Clay	12	1,363	5	263	17	1,626
Yarmouth	19	2,109	23	1,808	42	3,917
Ipswich	2	204	3	170	5	374
Harwich	2	172	5	562	7	734
Colchester	57	4,780	27	2,847	84	7,627
Maldon	1	61	1	73	2	134
SCOTLAND.						
Aberdeen	13	1,689	4	293	17	1,982
Air	2	320	-	-	2	320
Alloa	1	89	-	-	1	89
Banff	-	-	1	130	1	130
Borrowstoness	6	650	-	-	6	650
Dunbar	4	355	3	312	7	667
Dundee	38	5,012	1	90	39	5,102
Glasgow	9	786	2	247	11	1,033
Grangemouth	41	4,312	15	1,661	56	5,973
Greenock	32	7,131	-	-	32	7,131
Irvine	2	311	-	-	2	311
Kirkaldy	1	249	1	50	2	299
Leith	136	17,224	95	9,401	231	26,625
Montrose	26	2,643	2	154	28	2,797
Perth	22	2,176	-	-	22	2,176
Prestonpans	3	337	3	207	6	544
TOTAL	2,805	372,807	2,676	280,191	5,481	652,998

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
14 May 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

VESSELS LADEN WITH CORN

RETURN

Of the Number of Vessels and Tonnage which have entered Inwards at the several Ports of *England* and *Scotland*, laden with Corn, Meal, or Flour, for Warehousing, or for Home Consumption; 1825–1827.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
17 *May* 1827.

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WHEAT, &c. GUERNSEY.

A STATEMENT of the annual Average Prices of WHEAT, OATS, BARLEY and RYE, for the Years 1821 to 1826, both inclusive, in the Island of *Guernsey*;—with

A STATEMENT as to the existence of any impediment or restriction to the free Trade in CORN, and of any Duty or Tax levied upon its Importation or Exportation, within the said Island.

Government House,
Guernsey, 26th December 1826.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, and to forward a Statement of the annual Average Prices of Wheat, Oats, Barley and Rye, for the Years 1821 to 1826, in this Island.

The Enclosure N° 1. is the Statement of two of the principal Corn Merchants in Guernsey; and N° 2. contains the Prices fixed by the Royal Court.

See next page.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient
humble Servant,
J. Colborne,
Lt. Governor.

The Right Hon^ble^ Robert Peel
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure, N° 1.)

RETURN of the AVERAGE PRICE of CORN in the Island of *Guernsey*, for the Years 1821 to 1826, both inclusive.

YEARS.	WHEAT per Engh Quarter.	BARLEY per Ditto.	OATS per Ditto.	RYE per Ditto.
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
1821 - -	42 6	22 –	19 –	none
1822 - -	38 9	18 –	18 –	,,
1823 - -	37 6	20 –	17 –	,,
1824 - -	35 –	22 –	17 –	,,
1825 - -	32 6	20 –	19 –	,,
1826 - -	27 6	24 –	23 –	,,

THE above Averages on Wheat are for Red; White Dantzic may be stated to have been sold 2 *s.* per quarter higher. The above calculations are made in Guernsey currency, from which, upon the average, 6 per cent may be deducted.

B. Mellish. *J. Agnew.*

(Enclosure, N° 2.)

Island of Guernsey.—RETURN of the Price of WHEAT for the under-mentioned Years; as fixed by the Royal Court of that Island.

YEARS.	PRICE per Guernsey Quarter.	PRICE per English Quarter of Eight Winchester Bushels.
For 1821 - -	18/	45/
1822 - -	*d.* 15/9	*d.* 39/4
1823 - -	15/	*d.* 37/6
1824 - -	14/	35/
1825 - -	13/	*d.* 32/6
1826 - -	not fixed, will be so Michaelm[s] 1827.	

Court-House, Guernsey, the 22d December 1826.

Ch[s] Lefebvre,
H. M[ys] D[ty] Greffier.

Government House, Guernsey,
February 12, 1827.

SIR,

IN reply to your letter of the 6th inst. I have the honour to inform you, that no restriction or impediment exists in Guernsey to the free trade of Corn; and that the only duty or tax levied is on its importation, viz. 1*s.* 6*d.* per ton, when foreigners are the importers.

I beg leave, however, to observe, that it is evident the price of Corn at Guernsey cannot be fairly quoted, as the criterion of the rate at which foreign Corn could be purchased in England, if the British ports were opened. For, generally, Guernsey vessels bringing coffee, &c. from Rio Janeiro, unload at Antwerp, Hamburg, or Dantzic; and return to this island with Corn as ballast, or as a freight.

These casual importations, and the necessity of an immediate sale of each cargo on its arrival, have chiefly produced the moderate Corn prices in the Channel islands. The prohibitory laws of England and France have, of course, also a great influence on the Average prices.

Thus, Wheat is frequently sold here at its prime cost.

One cargo, in June last, of Dantzic Wheat, was sold in this port at 27*s.* the quarter; the owner of it lost by the sale more than the amount of the insurance and freight.

In 1825, a French merchant purchased Wheat at Dantzic and carried it to Havre, in expectation of its being allowed to be introduced there.

This speculation of bonded Wheat not being admitted, was consigned to a merchant of this Island, and sold in 1825 and 1826, at the prices specified in the enclosed Statement.

The Corn imported here is taken in at Antwerp, Rotterdam, Rostock, Copenhagen, and Dantzic. Much of it is of an inferior quality.

Wheat, which cannot be disposed of here, is made into biscuit, and forwarded to Newfoundland.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servant,

Henry Hobhouse, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

J. Colborne, Lt. Governor.

(Enclosure.)

Guernsey.—PARTICULARS of Six Cargoes of WHEAT imported into this Island by H^y^ Dobrée & Son, from the Bonded Warehouse at Havre de Grâce.

DATE.	NAME of the VESSEL.	Number of QUARTERS Guernsey.	QUALITY.	PRICE per QUARTER.	REMARKS.
1825:					
1st July	les Quatre Amis	1,150	High mixed Dantzic.	12/	The Guernsey quarter consists of four bushels, *ten* of which are equal to eight bushels, or one quarter Winchester measure.
1826:					
7th January	la Bonne Societé	982	D°	13/6	
29th July	le Narcisse - -	1,334	D°	13/6	
30th Oct.	le Courier - -	1,312	Red Rostock	12/6	
„ „	la Virginie - -	1,305	High mixed Dantzic.	13/6	
„ „	le Malin - - -	1,339	D°	13/6	
		7,622			

Harry Dobrée & Son.

STATEMENTS

Of the Prices of Wheat, Oats, Barley and Rye,
in the Island of Guernsey: 1821–1826.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
26 *February* 1827.

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CORN TRADE.

(Copy.)

INFORMATION received by the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, from Mr. *Claude Scott*, relative to the CHARGES and FREIGHT of CORN, to and from different Countries, or carried Coastwise to and from the several Ports of this Kingdom.

First Ordered to be Printed, 7 April 1791: *And*
Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Re-printed, 28 November* 1826.

London to Holland

THE Medium Charges per Quarter of Freight of each sort of Corn, from London to Holland - - - - - - - - - - Not including Commission on Insurance.

	s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease, Rye - - - - -	1	6	10 per cent on the amount of the Freight in lieu of Port Charges and Primage.
Barley - - - - - - - - - -	1	3	

London to France:

In the Channel.

	s.	d.		s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease, Rye - - - - - -	3	–	to	4	–	in the Bay.
Barley - - - - - - - - - -	2	9	to	3	6	

and 10 per cent.

Yarmouth and Suffolk to Holland:

	s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease and Rye - - - - - -	1	6	and 10 per cent.
Barley - - - - - - - - - -	1	3	
Malt (long) - - - - - - - - - -	1	–	

Yarmouth and Suffolk to France:

		s.	d.	
Wheat, &c.	in the Channel - - - - - -	2	3	and 10 per cent.
	in the Bay - - - - - - -	3	3	
Barley -	in the Channel - - - - - -	2	–	
	in the Bay - - - - - - -	3	–	

Lynn, &c. to Holland:

	s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease and Rye - - - - - -	2	–	and 10 per cent.
Barley - - - - - - - - - -	1	9	
Malt - - - - - - - - - -	1	6	

Lynn, &c. to France:

		s.	d.	
Wheat, &c.	in the Channel - - - - - -	3	6	and 10 per cent.
	in the Bay - - - - - - -	3	–	
Barley -	in the Channel - - - - - -	4	3	
	in the Bay - - - - - - -	3	6	

N.B.—Of late years there has been scarce any Corn shipped from the Essex Ports direct to Foreign Parts; but the Freight is nearly the same as from London, from whence the Essex Corn is chiefly exported.

Yarmouth to London:

	s.	d.
Wheat, Beans, Pease, and Rye	1	3
Barley	1	2
Malt and Oats	1	1

Lynn, &c. to London:

	s.	d.
Wheat, Beans, Pease, and Rye	1	9
Barley	1	6
Oats and Malt	1	4

N.B. The Charges of Freight upon all Corn delivered in London, from all parts of the Coast, are 1 *s.* 4 *d.* per quarter, besides a few shillings in each cargo for dues to the Lord Mayor.

Suffolk and Essex to London:

Generally 1 *s.* per Quarter upon all Hard Grain, and 11 *d.* per Quarter on Malt and Oats.

No Primage or Port Charges.

From the Eastern Coast of England to the Western, as far as Bristol:

	s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease, and Rye	3	3	and 10 per cent.
Barley	3	–	
Oats and Malt	2	6	

From Bristol to Solway Firth:

	s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease, and Rye	3	3	and 10 per cent.
Barley	3	–	
Oats	2	6	

From Ireland to Bristol:

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Wheat, Beans, Pease, and Rye	2	6	to	2	9
Barley and Oats	1	6	to	2	3

From Limerick to Liverpool:

		s.	d.		s.	d.
	Wheat, &c.	2	10			
	Barley and Oats	2	4			
Kinsale,	Wheat, &c.	2	8			
	Barley and Oats	2	3			
Dungarvon, Cork, Waterford, Portferry, Drogheda, Youghall,	Wheat, &c.	1	6	to	2	–
	Barley and Oats	1	4	to	1	8

No Primage from Ireland, except 6 *d.* per ton from Drogheda.

From London to Portugal:

	s.	d.	
Wheat, Beans, Pease, and Rye	3	–	by the Traders.
Barley	2	6	and 10 per cent.

	s.	d.	
From most other Ports of England to Portugal	4	–	upon Hard Grain.
	3	6	upon Barley.

and 10 per cent.

From England to Spain:

	s.	d.	
Hard Grain	4	–	and 10 per cent.
Barley	3	6	

N. B. The Freight from London to Spain is generally higher than to Portugal, because there is no dependance upon Back Freight.

The CHARGES per Quarter in London, on shipping Corn, vary according to Circumstances; but at an Average they may be reckoned, on

	d.
Wheat, Pease, Beans and Rye	9
Barley and Oats	7
Commission	6

The CHARGES on shipping Corn at the Out Ports are, for the most part, lower than the London Charges by about $\frac{1}{2}d.$ excepting the charge of Commission, which is 1 *s.* per Quarter in some places, and 2 per cent in others; but the general mode of shipping Corn at the Out Ports is by Contract, at fixed prices, free on board.

The CHARGES of landing Corn in London, and carrying the same to Warehouses at a reasonable distance, are, on

	d.		
Wheat and Rye	9	per Q^r	These are the Extra Charges which Proprietors of Corn incur when they land instead of selling it from the Ship.
Beans and Pease	$6\frac{1}{2}$		
Barley	6		
Oats	5		

N. B. Charges on landing Corn at the Out Ports are, for the most part, $\frac{1}{3}$ lower.

PEACE INSURANCE, from and to most of the places specified, is generally 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

N. B. The Freights to Whitehaven are much the same as to Liverpool; and to Chester and Lancaster something higher.

(signed) CLAUDE SCOTT,
London.

CORN TRADE.

(Copy.)

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28 *November* 1826.

GRAIN.

ACCOUNTS

Relating to Grain of all Sorts imported into Great Britain from Foreign Parts; imported from Ireland; taken out of Bond;—and, the Average Price of Grain; from January 1825 to January 1827.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
26 *February* 1827.

1.—AN ACCOUNT of the GRAIN of all Sorts, Meal and Flour, stated in quarters, imported distinguishing each Sort, as well as the Country from whence imported;—together

	COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	IMPORTS INTO BARLEY and BARLEY MEAL.		IMPORTS INTO BEANS.	
		Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*
Year ending 5 January 1826.	RUSSIA	2,537	2	-	-
	Sweden	1,016	6	-	-
	Norway	-	-	-	-
	Denmark	146,724	7	960	2
	Prussia	58,451	5	-	-
	Germany	193,583	6	8,155	2
	The Netherlands	20,631	1	1,607	5
	France	148	4	-	-
	Malta	-	-	21	4
	Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney and Man (Foreign)	2,085	3	-	-
	(Produce)	4,054	5	-	-
	East Indies	-	-	-	-
	British North American Colonies	-	-	-	-
	United States of America	-	-	-	-
	Total	429,233	7	10,744	5
Year ending 5 January 1827.	RUSSIA	3,242	1	-	-
	Sweden	2,717	2	133	-
	Denmark	108,447	3	7,856	7
	Prussia	39,972	-	1,140	2
	Germany	105,987	4	43,540	5
	Netherlands	15,629	1	33,648	-
	France	1,624	5	21,236	2
	Spain and Portugal	-	-	2	4
	Italy and Malta	-	-	16,041	1
	Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney and Man (Foreign)	303	-	119	7
	(Produce)	1,500	5	-	-
	Barbary	156	-	-	-
	British North American Colonies	-	-	-	-
	United States of America	-	-	-	6
	Other Countries	-	-	-	-
	Total	279,579	5	123,719	2

AVERAGE PRICES,	BARLEY. *s.*	*d.*	BEANS. *s.*	*d.*
In the Year ending 5 January 1826	38	10	41	6
1827	33	4	42	11

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
24th February 1827.

into Great Britain from Foreign Parts, in each Year, from 5th January 1825 to 5th January 1827; with the AVERAGE Price of each Sort of Grain in Great Britain, in each Year.

GREAT BRITAIN FROM FOREIGN PARTS:

INDIAN CORN and MEAL.	OATS and OATMEAL.	PEASE.	RYE.	WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR.	TOTAL.
Qrs. bus.	*Qrs. bus.*	*Qrs. bus.*	*Qrs. bus.*	*Qrs. bus.*	*Qrs. bus.*
- - -	12,634 6	515 -	- - -	11,207 7	26,894 7
- - -	2,608 1	10 4	- - -	- - -	3,635 3
- - -	63 7	- - -	- - -	584 2	648 1
- - -	73,296 1	136 5	- - -	27,164 5	248,282 4
- - -	39,372 7	5,080 -	3,646 -	111,284 6	217,835 2
- - -	52,023 -	6,596 2	200 1	112,280 1	372,838 4
- - -	24,186 5	3,273 3	- - -	14,255 -	63,953 6
- - -	- - -	18 4	- - -	311 -	478 -
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	21 4
- - -	273 4	18 3	- - -	10 -	2,387 2
- - -	1,209 2	17 -	1 4	7,551 -	12,833 3
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	6 6	6 6
- - -	- - -	1,016 5	- - -	94,042 7	95,059 4
73 3	- - -	- - -	- - -	12,829 5	12,903 -
73 3	205,668 1	16,682 2	3,847 5	391,527 7	1,057,777 6
- - -	91,046 3	2,386 -	11,890 -	20,657 -	128,621 4
- - -	280 7	77 7	- - -	- - -	3,209 -
- - -	177,157 -	5,352 2	9,909 1	62,031 7	370,754 4
- - -	146,239 -	17,079 3	16,283 5	255,651 3	476,365 5
- - -	362,905 -	25,345 4	15,590 4	184,668 5	738,037 6
- - -	271,113 6	10,409 2	11,263 1	7,104 -	349,167 2
511 6	74,131 2	111 1	2,941 7	- 5	100,557 4
60 -	540 4	- - -	- - -	1,919 6	2,522 6
3,591 1	- - -	86 4	- - -	105 3	19,824 1
144 2	800 6	77 4	- - -	494 5	1,940 -
- - -	78 2	1 4	9 -	7,258 2	8,847 5
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	156 -
- - -	- - -	3,236 -	- - -	27,263 6	30,499 6
2,061 4	- - -	599 1	- - -	15,719 5	18,381 -
- - -	- - -	- 1	- - -	- 7	1 -
6,368 5	1,124,292 6	64,762 1	67,887 2	582,275 6	2,248,885 3

	OATS.	PEASE.	RYE.	WHEAT.	
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	
- - -	24 11	44 -	41 -	66 6	—
- - -	25 11	46 2	39 11	56 11	—

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports & Exports.

— 2. —

AN ACCOUNT of GRAIN of all Sorts imported from *Ireland* into Great Britain, from 5th January 1825 to 5th January 1827; distinguishing each Sort.

SPECIES.	IMPORTS FROM IRELAND INTO GREAT BRITAIN.			
	Years ended 5 January			
	1826.		1827.	
	Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*
BARLEY, Barley Meal, and Malt	165,082	2	66,086	5
Beans	11,354	4	7,190	6
Oats and Oatmeal	1,629,856	–	1,303,734	2
Pease	1,431	2	1,452	–
Rye	219	7	76	6
Wheat and Wheat Flour	396,018	1	314,851	1
Total	2,203,962	–	1,693,391	4

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
24th February 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

— 3. —

AN ACCOUNT of the Quantity of GRAIN of all Sorts, and distinguishing each Sort, taken out of Bond from 5th January 1825 to 5th January 1827, specifying each Year; and an Account of the Duty paid upon the same: also, An Account of the Quantity of Grain of all Sorts passed into Consumption on their Importation, for a similar Period.

		Quantities of Foreign and Colonial CORN entered for Home Consumption in Great Britain.				AMOUNT OF DUTY Paid thereon.					
		Years ending 5 January				Years ending 5 January					
		1826.		1827.		1826.			1827.		
		Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Quantities taken out of Bond for Home Consumption.	Barley	188,444	7	221,802	–	47,106	8	2½	57,499	7	5½
	Beans	9,283	6	32,007	6	3,017	4	7	8,019	7	7
	Indian Corn	91	4	1,108	2	22	17	6	171	2	9
	Oats and Oatmeal	8	4	488,735	2	2	11	–	69,885	18	–
	Pease	13,690	5	6,920	–	4,278	5	8½	1,921	14	5¾
	Rye	3,442	4	6,914	5	1,118	16	5	2,076	5	–
	Wheat and Wheat Flour	440,908	7	288,949	2	204,066	5	6	171,509	–	6½
	Total	655,870	5	1,046,437	1	259,612	8	11	311,082	15	9½
Quantities admitted for Home Consumption on their importation.	Barley	82,233	5	113,526	5	20,490	4	10	28,795	3	9½
	Beans	–	4	95,115	7	–	5	9	13,544	5	4
	Indian Corn	-	-	5,114	1	-	-	-	1,047	10	6
	Oats and Oatmeal	6	3	699,596	6	1	18	8	63,784	4	4¼
	Pease	7,792	–	55,850	3	2,675	4	11¼	9,575	14	8
	Rye	-	-	60,326	4	-	-	-	7,279	3	1
	Wheat and Wheat Flour	84,322	2	26,995	6	21,263	2	7¼	7,486	4	–
	Total	174,354	6	1,056,526	–	44,430	16	9½	131,512	5	8¾
Total Quantities admitted for Home Consumption.	Barley	270,678	4	335,328	5	67,596	13	–½	86,294	11	2¾
	Beans	9,284	2	127,123	5	3,017	10	4	21,563	12	11
	Indian Corn	91	4	6,222	3	22	17	6	1,218	13	3
	Oats and Oatmeal	14	7	1,188,332	–	4	9	8	133,670	2	4¼
	Pease	21,482	5	62,770	3	6,953	10	7¾	11,497	9	1¾
	Rye	3,442	4	67,241	1	1,118	16	5	9,355	8	1
	Wheat and Wheat Flour	525,231	1	315,945	–	225,329	8	1¼	178,995	4	6½
	Total	830,225	3	2,102,963	1	304,043	5	8½	442,595	1	6¼

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
24th February 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports & Exports.

—4.—

AN ACCOUNT of the AVERAGE PRICE of GRAIN of all Sorts, in each Quarter, from 5th January 1825 to 5th January 1827.

QUARTERS ended	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		RYE.		BEANS.		PEAS.	
	s.	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*
5th April - - 1825 -	66	4	39	3	23	4	39	10	39	1	42	7
5th July - - - — -	68	3	36	3	24	3	39	1	37	7	37	9
10th October - — -	67	6	38	9	25	8	42	–	43	6	43	10
5th January - 1826 -	64	2	40	11	26	3	43	1	45	9	51	5
5th April - - — -	58	2	34	4	23	5	41	11	38	3	41	6
5th July - - - — -	58	2	29	10	23	7	37	6	37	8	38	7
10th October - — -	56	2	31	11	27	8	40	6	45	9	51	5
5th January - 1827 -	55	2	36	6	29	–	39	10	50	1	53	1

Board of Trade,
30th January 1827.

WILL[M] JACOB,
Receiver of Corn Returns.

GRAIN.

ACCOUNTS

Relating to GRAIN of all Sorts imported into Great Britain from Foreign Parts; imported from Ireland; taken out of Bond; and, the Average Price of Grain; from January 1825 to January 1827.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
26 *February* 1827.

FOREIGN GRAIN IMPORTED,
1812——1826.

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable House of Commons, dated 19th February 1827 ;—*for*

AN ACCOUNT

Of the Quantity of Foreign Corn, Grain, Meal and Flour, imported into *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, in Foreign Ships, from the Year 1812 to the end of 1826, distinguishing each Year, and showing the Number of Ships, their Tonnage, and the Number of Men employed in navigating such Ships :—And

A similar Account of the Importations in British Ships.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed*,
2 *March* 1827.

RETURN to an Order of The Honourable House

AN ACCOUNT of the Quantity of FOREIGN CORN, GRAIN, MEAL and FLOUR, imported distinguishing each Year; and showing the Number of Ships, their Tonnage,

A similar ACCOUNT of the

SPECIES.	QUANTITIES IMPORTED					
	Year 1812:					
	In Foreign Ships.		In British Ships.		TOTAL Import.	
	Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*
BARLEY, Barley Meal, and Malt	40,240	5	511	4	40,752	1
Beans	0	2	16	2	16	4
Indian Corn and Meal	14	1	2	6	16	7
Oats and Oatmeal	14,719	4	389	3	15,108	7
Pease	593	7	66	7	660	6
Rye and Ryemeal	71,763	1	879	1	72,642	2
Wheat and Wheat Flour	104,699	0	28,119	0	132,818	0
Total	232,030	4	29,984	7	262,015	3
	Year 1815:					
BARLEY and Barley Meal	1,700	6	769	2	2,470	0
Beans	8,310	4	3,681	4	11,992	0
Indian Corn and Meal	2	2	1	2	3	4
Oats and Oatmeal	100,850	3	20,021	5	120,872	0
Pease	812	3	386	0	1,198	3
Rye and Ryemeal	1,084	7	513	6	1,598	5
Wheat and Wheat Flour	119,189	2	75,742	1	194,931	3
Total	231,950	3	101,115	4	333,065	7
	Year 1818:					
BARLEY and Barley Meal	390,540	7	307,542	1	698,083	0
Beans	42,542	4	73,409	5	115,952	1
Indian Corn and Meal	1,323	3	88	0	1,411	3
Oats and Oatmeal	486,751	3	503,612	3	990,363	6
Pease	35,321	5	26,674	7	61,996	4
Rye and Ryemeal	20,747	7	57,333	0	78,080	7
Wheat and Wheat Flour	755,239	2	841,733	3	1,596,972	5
Total	1,732,466	7	1,810,393	3	3,542,860	2

of Commons, dated 19th February 1827;—*for*,

into *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, in Foreign Ships, from the Year 1812 to the end of 1826, and the Number of Men employed in navigating such Ships;—and,
Importations in British Ships.

INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Year 1813:						Year 1814:					
In Foreign Ships.		In British Ships.		TOTAL Import.		In Foreign Ships.		In British Ships.		TOTAL Import.	
Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*
				19,717	4	23,326	6	6,622	1	29,948	7
The proportionate Quantities imported in British and in Foreign Ships in this year cannot be distinguished; the records exhibiting the distinction having been destroyed by the fire at the Custom House.				950	0	26,079	5	11,574	6	37,654	3
				593	1	-	-	-	1	2	1
				60,455	7	214,281	5	36,969	3	251,251	0
				7,526	0	8,080	0	1,301	7	9,381	7
				34,619	6	3,457	6	2,582	5	6,040	3
				341,846	0	440,616	3	186,129	3	626,745	6
-	- -	-	- -	465,708	2	715,842	1	245,181	3	961,023	4

Year 1816:						Year 1817:					
5,640	2	10,599	2	16,239	4	52,159	1	82,954	5	135,113	6
-	- -	128	0	128	0	2,299	1	1,288	4	3,587	5
-	- -	0	2	0	2	0	5	156	7	157	4
43,253	4	32,739	6	75,993	2	201,320	5	283,351	3	484,672	0
782	3	140	2	922	5	3,098	3	10,051	4	13,149	7
3,517	4	11,566	6	15,074	2	26,712	0	112,766	3	139,478	3
76,950	5	133,909	5	210,860	2	504,043	5	561,778	7	1,065,822	4
130,144	2	189,073	7	319,218	1	789,633	4	1,052,348	1	1,841,981	5

Year 1819:						Year 1820:					
192,132	0	182,788	2	374,920	2	4,310	7	25,608	1	29,919	0
18,217	1	168,525	1	186,742	2	3,917	3	6,941	5	10,859	0
13,683	0	14,220	0	27,903	0	-	- -	5,192	3	5,192	3
175,347	7	411,416	1	586,764	0	266,507	4	417,408	2	683,915	6
17,821	5	24,190	0	42,011	5	2,891	1	5,588	6	8,479	7
8,014	0	10,658	1	18,672	1	1,274	7	10,831	0	12,105	7
180,161	2	294,306	0	474,467	2	248,889	4	342,841	6	591,731	2
605,376	7	1,106,103	5	1,711,480	4	527,791	2	814,411	7	1,342,203	1

Continuation.

QUANTITIES IMPORTED

SPECIES.	Year 1821 : In Foreign Ships.		In British Ships.		TOTAL Import.	
	Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*
BARLEY and Barley Meal	3,197	6	12,396	7	15,594	5
Beans	140	0	22	4	162	4
Indian Corn and Meal	-	-	212	6	212	6
Oats and Oatmeal	44,160	0	59,088	5	103,248	5
Pease	261	4	449	6	711	2
Rye and Ryemeal	110	7	-	-	110	7
Wheat and Wheat Flour	49,415	6	88,268	4	137,684	2
Total	97,285	7	160,439	0	257,724	7
	Year 1824 :					
BARLEY and Barley Meal	15,999	5	13,035	0	29,034	5
Beans	1,685	3	400	5	2,086	0
Indian Corn and Meal	91	4	-	-	91	4
Oats and Oatmeal	386,401	5	102,154	2	488,015	7
Pease	3,951	2	873	6	4,825	0
Rye and Ryemeal	-	-	853	7	853	7
Wheat and Wheat Flour	62,779	1	24,308	6	87,087	7
Total	470,968	4	141,626	2	612,594	6

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
28th February 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Year 1822:						Year 1823:					
In Foreign Ships.		In British Ships.		TOTAL Import.		In Foreign Ships.		In British Ships.		TOTAL Import.	
Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.
10,467	7	8,713	7	19,181	6	-	-	505	3	505	3
1	0	-	-	1	0	227	1	0	6	227	7
2,288	4	692	3	2,980	7	-	-	0	1	0	1
26,427	5	29,748	5	56,176	2	12,891	1	16,238	3	29,129	4
207	1	217	0	424	1	-	-	1	3	1	3
—		—		—		—		—		—	
12,494	7	35,103	5	47,598	4	10,635	2	13,367	1	24,002	3
51,887	0	74,475	4	126,362	4	23,753	4	30,113	1	53,866	5

Year 1825:						Year 1826:					
245,839	6	184,097	1	429,936	7	157,781	4	121,798	1	279,579	5
7,320	3	3,424	2	10,744	5	51,964	6	71,820	4	123,785	2
73	3	-	-	73	3	2,070	4	4,298	1	6,368	5
146,144	3	61,245	0	207,390	1	623,041	4	502,246	2	1,125,287	6
6,000	7	10,681	3	16,682	2	25,302	1	39,460	0	64,762	1
1,388	1	2,469	4	3,857	5	33,356	0	34,541	2	67,897	2
141,626	4	250,526	3	392,152	7	245,414	2	338,732	4	584,146	6
548,393	3	512,444	3	1,060,837	6	1,138,930	5	1,112,896	6	2,251,827	3

Note.—IT has not been practicable to complete the Return to the Order of the Honourable House, by annexing to the foregoing Statement, the number of Ships employed in the Importation of the Corn, their Tonnage, and the number of Men employed in navigating such Ships; as the Records of Shipping entered Inwards do not afford the means of distinguishing Vessels freighted with Corn from those laden with any other Merchandize, and the particulars required could, therefore, only be obtained by an express compilation from the original Documents at every Port in England, Scotland and Ireland; an operation of a very laborious nature, which would unavoidably occupy many weeks. The Return is therefore submitted in its present form, as comprising all the information it is possible to afford on the subject without very considerable delay.

FOREIGN GRAIN.

ACCOUNTS of Foreign Corn and Grain, Meal and Flour, imported in Foreign Ships;

Also in British Ships:

1812—1826.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
2 *March* 1827.

WHEAT AND OATS, *and* WHEAT AND WHEATEN-FLOUR.

— 1. —

AN ACCOUNT of the Quantity of WHEAT, and of WHEAT-MEAL and WHEAT-FLOUR, in quarters and bushels, imported from *Ireland* into *Great Britain*, in the eight years preceding the 5th January 1806, and showing the Average annual Quantity imported :— A similar ACCOUNT for the eight years preceding 5th January 1827 :—*and*, similar ACCOUNTS of the quantities of OATS and OATMEAL imported from *Ireland* into *Great Britain*.

		Imported from Ireland into Great Britain :			
		Wheat, Wheat-meal, and Wheat-flour.		Oats and Oatmeal.	
		Quarters.	*Bus.*	*Quarters.*	*Bus.*
First Period	Year ending 5th January 1799	17,486	–	362,538	7
	1800	15,315	3	359,306	6
	1801	749	2	2,410	6
	1802	524	–	374	6
	1803	109,519	–	341,931	1
	1804	61,267	2	266,358	6
	1805	70,071	4	240,021	7
	1806	84,087	2	203,302	–
	Annual Average	44,877	4	222,030	5
Second Period	Year ending 5th January 1820	154,030	7	789,613	2
	1821	404,747	5	916,250	5
	1822	569,700	4	1,162,248	5
	1823	463,003	7	569,237	2
	1824	400,067	6	1,102,487	4
	1825	356,408	3	1,225,085	1
	1826	396,018	1	1,629,856	–
	1827	314,851	1	1,303,734	2
	Annual Average	382,353	4	1,087,314	1

— 2. —

AN ACCOUNT of the greatest Quantity of WHEAT and WHEATEN-FLOUR imported into Great Britain from Ireland, in one year, since the year 1815.

THE Quantity imported in the year ending 5th January 1822, being the largest Annual Importation from Ireland since the year 1815, was

Qrs.	*Bus.*
569,700.	4.

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
28 February 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports
and Exports.

WHEAT AND OATS,

AND

WHEAT AND WHEATEN-FLOUR,

Imported from *Ireland* into *Great Britain*

1799 to 1806, and 1820 to 1827.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
1 *March* 1827.

WHEAT.

AN ACCOUNT,

Showing the respective Weeks in which the Average Price of WHEAT, as published in the *London* Gazette, was Highest and Lowest in each of the Years from 1815 to 1826, both inclusive; and specifying such Price for each of the said Weeks.

	HIGHEST.			LOWEST.		
	s.	*d.*		*s.*	*d.*	
1815 - 15th April - -	70	3	- - -	54	8	- 30th December.
1816 - 14th December	103	11	- - -	53	1	- 13th January.
1817 - 28th June -	112	7	- - -	74	—	- 27th September.
1818 - 25th April -	91	3	- - -	78	1	- 22d August.
1819 - 20th February	78	11	- - -	64	2	- 25th December.
1820 - 5th August -	73	9	- - -	53	11	- 23d December.
1821 - 29th September	70	7	- - -	46	2	- 29th December.
1822 - 26th January -	50	7	- - -	38	1	- 26th October.
1823 - 14th June - -	62	5	- - -	39	11	- 4th January.
1824 - 14th February	67	7	- - -	53	11	- 18th September.
1825 - 21st May - -	69	8	- - -	61	5	- 31st December.
1826 - 28th January -	61	4	- - -	54	1	- 28th October.

Board of Trade,
December 6th, 1826.

William Jacob,
Receiver of Corn Returns.

WHEAT.

AN ACCOUNT, showing the respective weeks in which the Average Price of Wheat, as published in the *London* Gazette, was Highest and Lowest in each of the Years from 1815 to 1826, both inclusive; and specifying such Price for each of the said Weeks.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
7 *December* 1826.

CORN RETURNS.

AN ACCOUNT

Of the Amount of MONEY received by the Inspector of Corn Returns, in the City of *London*, under the Act of the 1st and 2d Geo. IV.; and an Account of the Salary and Expenses, and what Sum paid to the Customs; distinguishing the Receipts and Payments of each Year.

AMOUNTS RECEIVED.

		£.	s.	d.
Lastage;—Received to the	10th November 1821	254	17	4
D° - - - D° - - -	9th November 1822	760	11	4
D° - - - D° - - -	8th November 1823	786	13	8
D° - - - D° - - -	6th November 1824	906	10	2
D° - - - D° - - -	5th November 1825	1,104	3	3
D° - - - D° - - -	11th November 1826	1,245	9	5
		£. 5,058	5	2

AMOUNT OF SALARIES, RENT, AND EXPENSES.

Salaries, Rent, and Expenses to	10th November 1821	84	4	4
D° - - - D° - - -	9th November 1822	428	18	10
D° - - - D° - - -	8th November 1823	392	13	10
D° - - - D° - - -	6th November 1824	421	15	1
D° - - - D° - - -	5th November 1825	433	11	3
D° - - - D° - - -	11th November 1826	430	19	9
		£. 2,192	3	1

AMOUNTS PAID TO THE CUSTOMS.

Paid the Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs, 17th June -	1822	385	1	8
D° - - - D° - - -	2d February 1824	442	3	5
D° - - - D° - - -	25th November 1824	393	19	10
D° - - - D° - - -	10th February 1826	482	18	10
D° - - - D° - - -	10th November 1826	347	8	8
D° - - - D° - - -	5th February 1827	375	9	6
D° - - - D° - - -	2d June - 1827	439	—	2
		£. 2,866	2	1

Geo. Levick,
Inspector of Corn Returns.

London, 6th June 1827.

CORN RETURNS.

AN ACCOUNT

Of Money received by the Inspector of Corn Returns, and of Salaries, Rents and Expenses, and Amounts paid to the Customs.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
7 *June* 1827.

FOREIGN
WHEAT AND WHEAT-FLOUR.

AN ACCOUNT

Of the Total Quantity of FOREIGN WHEAT and WHEAT-FLOUR now under Bond, in the Warehouses of *Great Britain* and *Ireland.*

	QUANTITIES remaining Warehoused in the United Kingdom on the 1st March 1827.		
	Quarters.	*Bushels.*	
WHEAT - - - - - - -	528,654.	3.	
	Cwts.	*qrs.*	*lb.*
WHEAT-MEAL and FLOUR - -	61,288.	0.	0.

Inspector General's Office,
Custom House, London,
12th March 1827.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Inspector General of Imports and Exports.

FOREIGN
WHEAT AND WHEAT-FLOUR.

AN ACCOUNT

Of the Total Quantity of FOREIGN WHEAT and WHEAT-FLOUR now under Bond in the Warehouses of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed*,
16 *March* 1827.

PRUSSIA.

I.

Extract of a NOTE from Baron *Maltzahn*, Minister Plenipotentiary of His *Prussian* Majesty, at the Court of *Great Britain*, dated 25th June 1826, respecting *British* Produce and Manufactures imported into the Prussian States, in the Year 1823: Two Enclosures.

II.

Extract (Translation) of a NOTE from Baron *Maltzahn*, dated the 8th and 9th April 1827; enclosing a Return of all the Vessels which entered into and cleared out from *Prussian* Ports, in the Year 1826.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
1 *May* 1827.

—I.—

(TRANSLATION.)

EXTRACT OF A NOTE from Baron *Maltzahn* to Mr. Secretary Canning; dated London, June 25, 1826.

THE Undersigned Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of His Majesty the King of Prussia, in reference to his official note of the 19th of May last, has the honour to enclose to his Excellency Mr. Canning, &c. &c. a complete and detailed Statement of the value of such goods, being the produce and manufacture of the United Kingdom and of its Colonies, as were imported into the Prussian states, in the year 1823, for home consumption, and for transit to other States.

Although this statement has been prepared with all possible care, and although as the U. S. flatters himself, it is as exact as it can be made, it must, however, only be considered as coming near to the reality, for the books of the Prussian Custom Houses contain no reference to the place of origin of the articles of merchandize, and the most considerable ports whence merchandize is imported from England into Prussia (that of Hamburgh, for instance), are not subject to Prussia. The statement in question is, however, compiled solely from the books of the Prussian Custom Houses; nothing in it is exaggerated; where a doubt existed as to the origin of any given article, that article has been altogether omitted.

A considerable quantity of Liverpool salt, for instance, might undoubtedly have been added to the second column, it being notorious that this article is largely consumed in the Rhenish provinces; but as it was not known how many quintals of the salt imported by the Rhine, came from France and Portugal, all the salt imported through the Netherlands has been left out.

With the same degree of caution, such merchandize only as has been imported through the most direct channels from the United Kingdom into Prussia, has been comprized in this statement; as a proof of this, all importations by Malmedy, Aix-la-Chapelle, Duisbourg, and the Custom Houses on the southern frontiers of the Prussian States, have been altogether omitted, although it is beyond a doubt that English goods are imported by these roads in considerable quantities, it being proved by the books, that 69,225 lbs. of English twist have been imported by the way of Frankfort on the Main.

The year 1823 has been selected in preference to any other, because the official returns of the Imports of 1823, having been collected for other purposes, it has been

been found more practicable to draw up a correct table for this year, than, for instance, for the year 1825, and because the object of showing the extent of the sale of English produce, can be just as well attained by a table of the Imports for 1823, as by a summary of those for 1825.

It being important that the rates at which the articles of merchandize have been valued in the enclosed list, should be rightly understood, the U. S. has the honour to add a statement of the averages on which their valuation was founded.

These averages are computed from the prices current in the markets of 1823, they of course include freight and duties, and must therefore differ widely from the English prices.

It is, among other facts, proved by the accompanying papers, that the Imports placed in the English returns under the head of "Germany;" as also those headed "Holland" and "Flanders," belong for the most part to the Prussian states, all the English and Colonial merchandize which the Austrian states want, being imported through Trieste; and all that goes to the South of Germany being obliged to pass by the way of France, on account of the difficulties to which the trade and navigation of the Rhine are still exposed, and the heavy charges to which the conveyance of goods through the Netherlands is subjected by the necessity of loading and unloading, and the expense of carriage. The amount of these Imports ought therefore to be added to the small sum of £.468,463. at which the English official return of the 10th April last, rates the Imports into Prussia from England and Scotland, and which is in fact not equal to one-third of the value of one item of Import into Prussia from England taken by itself, namely, the article of twist.

To His Excellency
Mr. Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

A complete and detailed STATEMENT of the Value of such Goods, being the Produce
PRUSSIAN STATES, in the Year 1823, for

No	DESCRIPTION of the MERCHANDIZE.	1. Direct from England, into all the PRUSSIAN PORTS.	2. By way of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, and also by way of the Custom-house of EMMERICH.	3. By way of Bremen, and by the Custom-house of MINDEN.	4. By way of Lubeck, and also by the Custom-house of SALZWESEL.	5. By way of Hamburgh, and also by the Custom-house of WITTEMBERG.
	I. RAW MATERIALS.	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*
1.	Cotton, raw	39,220	1,125,696	149,645	-	1,348,215
2.	Wool, fine	1,500	-	-	-	-
3.	Hides and Skins, raw	13,408	760,702	12,119	-	154,444
4.	Train Oil	4,482	-	16,243	-	195,836
5.	Dye Wood	217,352	175,166	11,765	-	240,966
6.	Indigo	255,750	1,384,578	54,592	-	966,177
7.	Saltpetre	164,016	140,793	3,860	-	92,064
8.	Lead	12,433	-	228	-	2,817
9.	Iron	10,049	31,126	18,880	8,110	17,159
10.	Copper	-	135,067	7,152	-	-
11.	Tin	11,640	49,695	-	-	24,855
12.	Hops	18,416	-	-	-	1,758
13.	Tobacco, in leaf	7,440	190,143	38,498	-	80,471
14.	Sundries, as {Cabinetmaker's Wood, Chemical Preparations, and Drysalters Drugs}	52,400	63,200	7,400	4,200	711,400
		808,106	4,056,160	320,382	12,310	3,836,152
	II. MANUFACTURES.					
15.	Cotton Twist	49,661	2,514,770	10,298	2,137	5,879,643
16.	Woollen Goods	68,789	-	4,008	-	652,746
17.	Cotton Goods	424,939	-	14,531	-	2,593,530
18.	Silk and Half Silk Goods	12,036	-	-	-	-
19.	Iron Ware	83,035	-	-	-	60,963
20.	Stone Ware and China	69,340	35,349	10,970	-	33,525
21.	Hard Ware of every description	23,365	-	9,650	-	102,341
22.	Sundry, as {Books, manufactured Tobacco, Mechanical Instruments, Glass, Paper, &c.}	31,000	-	6,000	1,400	290,000
		762,165	2,550,119	55,457	3,537	9,612,748
	III. PROVISIONS.					
23.	Herrings	352,020	-	4,341	-	221,187
24.	Rum, Arrack	267,604	9,309	1,825	-	207,190
25.	Wine	21,214	-	-	-	10,000
26.	Sugar, raw	101,557	141,095	44,740	-	1,049,592
27.	D° refined	310,551	383,548	13,891	-	1,324,128
28.	Porter	87,732	-	-	-	8,122
29.	Syrup	5,731	-	-	-	-
30.	Coffee	1,198,934	822,541	20,290	-	1,777,551
31.	Spices	125,876	37,018	9,231	-	324,492
32.	Tea	1,800	49,320	22,877	-	252,231
33.	Southern Fruits	4,928	-	-	-	-
34.	Rice	65,564	148,257	-	-	280,000
35.	Salt	450,810	-	-	-	-
36.	Sea Coal	203,531	-	-	-	9,383
37.	Sundry	16,900	-	-	-	97,200
		3,214,752	1,591,088	117,195	-	5,561,076
	Add II. MANUFACTURES	762,165	2,550,119	55,457	3,537	9,612,748
	and I. RAW MATERIALS	808,106	4,056,160	320,382	12,310	3,836,152
	TOTAL Amount	4,785,023	8,197,367	493,034	15,847	19,009,976

Adding all the Goods specified in direct Transit under No. 10, The SUM of all Goods

and Manufacture of the United Kingdom and of its Colonies, as were imported into the Home Consumption, and for Transit to other States.

6. By way of Mecklenberg, and also by the Custom-house of GRANSEE.	7. By way of Hanover, and by the Custom house of HALBERSTADT.	8. By way of DENMARK.	9. TOTAL of Importations of ENGLISH GOODS.	10. Direct Transit from England, by way of Bremen, Hamburgh, Rostock, through PRUSSIAN STATES.	OBSERVATIONS.
Rix-dollars.	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*	*Rix-dollars.*	
- - -	15,287	38,430	2,716,493	393,093	
- - -	- - -	- - -	1,500	—	
- - -	67,676	46,380	1,054,729	221,648	
- - -	- - -	- - -	216,561	—	
- - -	5,074	13,889	664,196	38,187	
4,083	84,461	56,552	2,806,193	1,216,498	
- - -	- - -	- - -	400,733	17,307	
- - -	- - -	- - -	15,478	—	
12,460	- - -	- - -	97,784	13,430	
- - -	- - -	- - -	142,219	—	
- - -	- - -	- - -	86,190	—	
- - -	- - -	- - -	20,174	—	
- - -	13,674	- - -	330,226	211,713	
- - -	30,600	- - -	869,200	—	
16,543	216,772	155,251	9,421,676	2,111,876	- - TOTAL - - I. RAW MATERIALS.
2,700	234,322	173,888	8,867,419	2,484,885	Besides from Frankfort a' M. there was imported Cotton Twist answering to 69,225 Dollars.
5,2 01	34,337	- - -	765,081	2,737,407	
18,336	34,869	- - -	3,086,205	5,832,825	
- - -	- - -	- - -	12,036	—	
3,708	6,586	- - -	154,292	24,446	
4,223	12,364	- - -	165,771	21,095	
16,318	26,772	- - -	178,446	614,113	
24,280	47,000	- - -	399,680	—	
74,766	396,250	173,888	13,628,930	11,714,771	- - TOTAL - - II. MANUFACTURES.
- - -	- - -	- - -	577,548	—	
1,180	1,814	39,540	528,462	77,820	
- - -	- - -	86,000	117,214	—	
- - -	- - -	356,134	1,693,118	10,437	
- - -	- - -	203,850	2,235,968	725,854	
- - -	- - -	- - -	95,854	—	The total importation of Coffee in the Prussian States amounted, in the year 1823, to 9,829,943 Rix-dollars; and the whole amount of what passed in transitu through the Prussian States, was 1,573,775 Dollars.
- - -	- - -	- - -	5,731	—	
- - -	88,062	77,411	3,984,789	444,976	
- - -	- - -	13,212	509,829	66,550	
- - -	35,492	38,508	400,228	57,800	
- - -	- - -	- - -	4,928	—	
2,072	15,868	13,051	524,812	31,893	
- - -	- - -	- - -	450,810	23,057	
- - -	- - -	- - -	212,914	—	
- - -	- - -	- - -	114,100	—	
3,252	141,236	827,706	11,456,305	1,438,387	- - TOTAL - - III. PROVISIONS.
74,766	396,250	173,888	13,628,930	11,714,771	
16,543	216,772	155,251	9,421,676	2,111,876	
94,561	754,258	1,156,845	34,506,911	15,265,034	

imported from England into the Prussian States, amounts to - - - 40,771,945 Rix-dollars.

AVERAGE PRICES

Of the Merchandize specified in the Commercial and Statistical View.

1. RAW MATERIALS.	Per Cwt.	Rix Dol.	2. MANUFACTURES.	Per Cwt.	Rix Dol.	3. PROVISIONS.	Per Cwt.	Rix Dol.
Raw Cotton		40	Cotton Twist		100	Herrings		5
Fine Wool		100	Woollen Goods		250	Rum		15
Hides		30	Cotton d°		300	Wine		20
Skins		20	Silk d°		2,000	Porter		8
Train Oil		10	Iron Ware		15 & 40	Sugar, Raw		10
Dye Wood		5	Stone Ware		40	D° Refined		20
Indigo		330	Porcelain		120	Syrup		5
Salt Petre		20	Hard Ware		150 & 500	Coffee		40
Lead		12				Spices		20
Iron		5 & 10				Tea		200
Copper		24				Southern Fruits		20
Tin		40				Rice		10
Hops		22				Salt		1
Tobacco in Leaf		5				Sea Coal		1

II.

(Translation.)

EXTRACT.

THE Prussian Government having given directions for making out an exact return of the Vessels which, in the course of last year, entered into the Prussian Ports, and cleared out from them; and considering that it might prove of some interest to the British Government to be put in possession of this statement, the undersigned Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of His Majesty the King of Prussia, has been desired to communicate this paper to his Excellency Mr. Canning, His Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

The undersigned, in enclosing it to his Excellency, has the honour to accompany this communication with the following observations:

While the tonnage of the Prussian Vessels, which last year entered from all countries into the Ports of Prussia, amounts to 153,895 lasts, that of the British vessels rises to 79,926 lasts, that is to say, to nearly one half of the tonnage of the national shipping. The tonnage of the Prussian vessels which sailed from the Ports of Prussia, amounts to 149,326 lasts, and that of the English vessels makes 81,211 lasts, or much more than a moiety of the Prussian-built shipping. Of this number, there departed from the Prussian Ports only eleven English vessels in ballast, containing in the aggregate, 1,356 lasts, while 235 Prussian vessels, amounting to 73,708 lasts, sailed in ballast. The tonnage of English vessels that shipped cargoes in Prussian Ports, makes up a total of 79,855 lasts. Upwards of one-half of the 1,531 vessels of Prussia which sailed from the Ports of Prussia, returned to them in ballast, namely 847 vessels, computed at 95,111 lasts.

10, Hereford-street, (signed) *Maltzahn.*
April 8, 1827.

His Excellency,
Mr. Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

(Translation.)

RETURN OF THE SHIPPING, which, in the course of 1826, Entered into, and Cleared out from *Prussian* Ports; distinguishing the Country to which the Vessels belonged, and the Ports to which they were bound.——
(on the following pages.)

(Translation.)—RETURN of the SHIPPING which, in the course of 1826, Entered
Vessels belonged, and the

(OBSERVATION:—*Black Ink* denotes the Imports;—

COUNTRY.	MEMEL.						PILLAU.					
	Number of Ships.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.	
			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.
Denmark	38	2,260	8	432	30	1,828	38	1,596	35	1,509	3	87
	41	2,582	41	2,582	- -	- -	40	[illegible]	36	1404	4	[illegible]
Mecklenberg	- -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Hansetowns	10	438	9	406	1	32	6	173	5	148	1	25
	9	395	9	395	- -	- -	5	[illegible]	5	133	- -	- -
Russia	- -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- -	7	278	7	278	- -	- -
	1	14	- -	- -	1	14	7	[illegible]	3	142	4	[illegible]
Sweden	6	474	2	73	4	401	16	1,154	7	245	9	909
	6	474	6	474	- -	- -	16	[illegible]	14	1,081	2	[illegible]
Norway	16	665	15	594	1	71	8	441	8	441	- -	- -
	14	601	14	601	- -	- -	7	[illegible]	7	399	- -	- -
GREAT BRITAIN	343	44,669	20	2,463	323	42,206	55	5,196	9	749	46	4,447
	[illegible]	43,975	339	43,845	1	130	50	[illegible]	47	5,405	3	[illegible]
Hanover	12	808	6	286	6	522	13	517	11	429	2	88
	13	832	13	832	- -	- -	19	[illegible]	19	731	- -	- -
Oldenburg	10	591	1	31	9	560	5	173	3	98	2	75
	13	695	13	695	- -	- -	4	[illegible]	4	326	- -	- -
Netherlands	46	2,568	7	355	39	2,213	46	2,230	22	936	24	1,294
	46	2,649	46	2,649	- -	- -	46	[illegible]	46	2,272	- -	- -
France	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Portugal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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Spain	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
United States	- -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2	186	2	186	—	—
	- -	- - -	- -	- -	-	- -	2	186	2	186	—	—
Total. Arrived	481	52,473	68	4,640	413	47,833	196	11,944	109	5,019	87	6,925
Total. Cleared out	[illegible]	52,217	481	52,073	2	144	196	12,871	183	12,079	13	792
TOTAL	964	104,690	549	56,713	415	47,977	392	27,815	292	17,098	100	7,717
PRUSSIA	190	22,786	49	4,516	141	18,270	98	10,158	60	5,870	38	4,288
	[illegible]	22,641	189	22,505	1	136	98	11,602	91	9,968	7	1,634
TOTAL	380	45,427	238	27,021	142	18,406	196	21,760	151	15,838	45	5,922
Total. Arrived	671	75,259	117	9,156	554	66,103	294	22,102	169	10,889	125	11,213
Total. Cleared out	673	74,858	670	74,578	3	280	294	24,473	274	22,047	20	2,426
TOTAL	1,344	150,117	787	83,734	557	66,383	588	46,575	443	32,936	145	13,639

into and Cleared out from *Prussian* Ports: distinguishing the Country to which the Ports to which they were bound.

Red Ink, the Exports.)

DANTZICK.						STOLPEMUNDE.						COUNTRY.
Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		
		Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.			Ship	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.	
44	2,246	31	1,189	13	1,057	—	—	—	—	—	—	Denmark.
46	2,345	41	2,207	5	138	—	—	—	—	—	—	
8	676	3	184	5	492	—	—	—	—	—	—	Mecklenberg.
10	946	10	946	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
16	898	13	606	3	292	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hansetowns.
17	1,138	17	1,138	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3	363	3	363	- -	- -	1	110	- -	- -	1	110	Russia.
3	317	- -	- -	2	317	1	110	1	110	—	—	
14	894	12	564	2	330	1	49	1	49	—	—	Sweden.
13	859	10	749	3	110	1	49	- -	- -	1	49	
29	1,134	28	903	1	231	—	—	—	—	—	—	Norway.
30	1,180	23	965	7	215	—	—	—	—	—	—	
219	25,152	10	858	209	24,294	1	51	1	51	—	—	GREAT BRITAIN.
210	26,638	210	26,638	- -	- -	1	52	- -	- -	1	51	
83	6,349	21	1,140	62	5,209	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hanover.
83	6,522	83	6,522	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
13	455	1	20	12	435	—	—	—	—	—	—	Oldenburg.
10	470	10	470	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
197	10,448	42	2,077	155	8,371	1	112	- -	- -	1	112	Netherlands.
197	10,228	193	10,010	4	218	1	112	1	112	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	France.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Portugal.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	United States.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
626	48,615	104	7,904	402	40,711	4	322	2	100	2	222	Total. Arrived.
627	50,643	606	49,645	21	998	4	322	2	222	2	100	Total. Cleared out
1,253	99,258	770	57,549	483	41,709	8	644	4	322	4	322	TOTAL.
392	57,255	118	16,481	274	40,774	32	1,091	26	798	6	293	PRUSSIA.
370	52,024	366	51,644	4	380	31	1,040	14	574	17	466	
762	109,279	484	68,125	278	41,154	63	2,131	40	1,372	23	759	TOTAL.
1,018	105,870	282	24,385	736	81,485	36	1,413	28	898	8	515	Total. Arrived.
997	102,667	972	101,289	25	1,378	35	1,362	16	796	19	566	Total. Cleared out.
2,015	208,537	1,254	125,674	761	82,863	71	2,775	44	1,694	27	1,081	TOTAL.

The preceding Account of,——RETURN of the Shipping, which, in the course of 1826,

COUNTRY.	RUGENWALDE.						COLBERG.					
	Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.	
			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.
Denmark	7	199	1	21	6	178	5	109	2	25	3	84
	6	162	6	162	- -	- -	5	109	5	109	- -	- -
Mecklenberg	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Hansetowns	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Russia	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Sweden	1	32	1	32	- -	- -	1	67	1	67	- -	- -
		32	1	32	- -	- -	1	67	- -	- -	- -	- -
Norway	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
GREAT BRITAIN	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Hanover	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Oldenburg	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
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Netherlands	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
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France	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
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Portugal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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Spain	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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United States	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Total. Arrived	8	231	2	53	6	178	6	176	3	92	3	84
Total. Cleared out	7	194	7	194	- -	- -	6	176	5	109	1	67
TOTAL	15	425	9	247	6	178	12	352	8	201	4	151
PRUSSIA	25	635	14	343	11	292	53	1,595	34	678	19	917
	25	628	15	406	10	222	50	1,391	44	1,131	6	209
TOTAL	50	1,263	29	749	21	514	103	2,986	78	1,809	25	1,177
Total. Arrived	33	866	16	396	17	470	59	1,771	37	770	22	1,001
Total. Cleared out	32	822	22	600	10	222	51	1,567	41	1,240	7	327
TOTAL	65	1,688	38	996	27	692	115	3,338	86	2,010	29	1,328

Entered into and Cleared out from *Prussian* Ports, &c.—*continued.*——(*Black Ink*, Imports; *Red Ink*, Exports.)

SWINEMUNDE.						WOLGAST.						COUNTRY.
Number of Ships.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		Number of Ships.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		
		Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.	
69	3,094	58	2,469	11	625	8	30	—	—	1	30	Denmark.
65	2,972	40	1,957	25	1,015	1	30	1	30	—	—	
3	224	3	224	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Mecklenberg.
6	432	3	297	3	135	2	198	—	—	2	198	
7	415	6	327	1	88	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hansetowns.
7	519	7	519	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1	98	—	—	1	98	—	—	—	—	—	—	Russia.
		—	—			—	—	—	—	—	—	
17	1,131	16	1,040	1	91	12	474	12	474	—	—	Sweden.
17	1,131	6	394	11	737	12	474	6	106	6	368	
3	326	2	153	1	173	—	—	—	—	—	—	Norway.
3	326	3	326	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
17	2,061	15	1,841	2	220	1	82	—	—	1	82	GREAT BRITAIN.
17	2,061	11	1,216	6	845	1	82	1	82	—	—	
9	322	5	191	4	131	—	—	—	—	—	—	Hanover.
9	322	9	322	—	—	1	25	1	25	—	—	
8	215	7	183	1	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	Oldenburg.
6	164	6	164	—	—	4	71	4	71	—	—	
34	1,458	16	732	18	726	2	74	—	—	2	74	Netherlands.
36	1,522	35	1,495	1	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1	70	1	70	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	France.
	70	—	—	1	70	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Portugal.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3	288	3	288	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	United States.
3	288	1	84	2	204	—	—	—	—	—	—	
172	9,702	132	7,518	40	2,184	16	660	12	474	4	186	Total. Arrived.
171	9,702	121	6,774	50	3,231	21	880	9	314	12	566	Total. Cleared out.
343	19,607	253	14,292	90	5,315	37	1,540	21	788	16	752	TOTAL.
449	36,327	312	24,801	137	11,526	46	3,324	19	1,275	27	2,049	PRUSSIA.
418	34,856	349	28,205	69	6,651	48	3,708	35	2,535	13	1,173	
867	71,183	661	53,006	206	18,177	94	7,092	54	3,810	40	3,282	TOTAL.
621	46,029	444	32,319	177	13,710	62	3,987	31	1,749	31	2,235	Total. Arrived.
589	44,761	470	34,979	119	9,782	69	4,648	44	2,849	25	1,799	Total. Cleared out.
1,210	90,790	914	67,298	296	23,492	131	8,632	75	4,598	56	4,034	TOTAL.

(*continued.*)

The preceding Account of——RETURN of the Shipping, which, in the course of 1826,

COUNTRY.	GREIFSWALDE.						STRALSUND.					
	Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.	
			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.
Denmark	4	428	- -	- -	4	428	17	438	10	97	7	341
	4	510	4	510	- -	- -	17	593	8	394	9	114
Mecklenberg	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	3	142	3	142	- -	- -
	1	102	1	102	- -	- -	4	175	3	142	1	33
Hansetowns	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2	45	2	45	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1	18	1	18	- -	- -
Russia	2	65	1	35	1	30	5	334	5	334	- -	- -
	2	51	1	30	1	21	5	334	- -	- -	5	334
Sweden	10	642	8	435	2	207	41	2,445	32	1,608	9	837
	10	643	1	161	1	482	43	2,673	19	1,547	24	1,126
Norway	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1	67	1	67	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1	67	1	67	- -	- -
GREAT BRITAIN	11	1,089	2	203	9	886	16	1,626	1	53	15	1,573
	11	989	11	989	- -	- -	16	1,686	16	1,686	- -	- -
Hanover	6	99	5	52	1	47	9	154	4	40	5	114
	5	93	4	87	1	6	11	163	9	443	2	20
Oldenburg	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	6	158	3	83	3	75
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	7	185	5	131	2	54
Netherlands	2	63	1	38	1	25	5	181	- -	- -	5	181
	2	63	2	63	- -	- -	5	181	5	181	- -	- -
France	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Portugal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Spain	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
United States	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Total. Arrived	35	2,386	17	763	18	1,623	105	5,590	61	2,469	44	3,121
Total. Cleared out	35	2,458	24	1,949	11	509	110	5,984	67	4,393	43	1,591
TOTAL	70	4,844	41	2,712	29	2,132	215	11,574	128	6,772	87	4,802
PRUSSIA	94	7,001	28	817	66	6,184	195	13,723	67	3,205	128	10,518
	112	9,073	58	3,371	54	5,702	189	12,303	135	8,407	54	3,896
TOTAL	206	16,074	86	4,188	120	11,886	384	26,026	202	11,612	182	14,414
Total. Arrived	129	9,387	45	1,580	84	7,807	300	19,133	128	5,674	172	13,639
Total. Cleared out	147	11,531	82	5,320	65	6,211	299	18,287	202	14,710	97	3,577
TOTAL	216	20,918	127	6,900	149	14,018	599	37,600	330	18,384	269	19,216

Entered into and Cleared out from *Prussian* Ports, &c.—*continued.*——(*Black Ink*, Imports; *Red Ink*, Exports.)

TOTAL OF THE PORTS.

Total of Ships arrived.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.		COUNTRY.
		Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.	
223	10,400	145	5,142	78	4,658	Denmark.
225	10,875	182	9,355	43	1,520	
14	1,042	9	550	5	492	Mecklenberg.
23	1,860	17	1,494	6	366	
41	1,969	35	1,532	6	437	Hansetowns.
39	2,203	39	2,203	—	—	
19	1,248	16	1,010	3	238	Russia.
19	1,202	5	282	14	920	
119	7,362	92	4,587	27	2,775	Sweden.
120	7,556	59	4,544	61	3,012	
57	2,633	54	2,158	3	475	Norway.
55	2,573	48	2,358	7	215	
663	79,926	58	6,218	605	73,708	GREAT BRITAIN.
655	81,211	644	79,855	11	1,356	
132	8,249	52	2,138	80	6,111	Hanover.
141	8,688	138	8,662	3	26	
42	1,592	15	415	27	1,177	Oldenburg.
44	1,911	42	1,857	2	54	
333	17,134	88	4,138	245	12,996	Netherlands.
333	17,027	328	16,782	5	245	
1	70	1	70	—	—	France.
	70	- - - -	- - - -	1	70	
—	—	—	—	—	—	Portugal.
—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	—	
5	474	5	474	—	—	United States.
5	474	3	270	2	204	
1,649	132,099	570	29,032	1,079	103,067	Total. Arrived.
1,660	135,650	1,505	127,662	155	7,988	Total. Cleared out.
3,309	267,749	2,075	156,694	1,234	111,055	TOTAL.
1,574	153,895	727	58,784	847	95,111	PRUSSIA.
1,531	149,326	1,296	128,746	235	20,580	
3,105	303,221	2,023	187,530	1,082	115,691	TOTAL.
3,223	285,994	1,297	87,816	1,926	198,178	Total. Arrived.
3,191	284,976	2,801	256,408	390	28,568	Total. Cleared out.
6,414	570,970	4,098	344,227	2,316	226,746	TOTAL.

The preceding Account of,—RETURN of the Shipping, which, in the course of 1826, Entered into and Cleared out from *Prussian* Ports, &c.—*continued.*

(*Black Ink*, Imports; *Red Ink*, Exports.)

RECAPITULATION OF THE PORTS.

NAMES of the PORTS.	Number of Ships.	Their Tonnage, the Last at 4,000 lbs.	Laden.		In Ballast.		FOREIGN SHIPS.					
			Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.	Number of Ships.	Tonnage.	Laden.		In Ballast.	
									Ships.	Lasts.	Ships.	Lasts.
1.—MEMEL - -	671	75,259	117	9,156	554	66,103	481	52,473	68	4,640	413	47,833
	673	74,858	670	74,578	3	280	483	52,217	481	52,073	2	144
2.—PILLAU - -	294	22,102	169	10,889	125	11,213	196	11,944	109	5,019	87	6,925
	297	24,473	274	22,047	20	2,426	196	12,871	183	12,079	13	792
3.—DANTZICK - -	1,018	105,870	282	24,385	736	81,485	626	48,615	164	7,904	462	40,711
	997	102,667	972	101,289	25	1,378	627	50,673	606	49,645	21	998
4.—STOLPEMUNDE -	36	1,413	28	898	8	515	4	322	2	100	2	222
	35	1,362	16	796	19	566	4	322	2	222	2	100
5.—RUGENWALDE -	33	866	16	396	17	470	8	231	2	53	6	178
	32	822	22	600	10	222	7	194	7	194		
6.—COLBERG - -	59	1,771	37	770	22	1,001	6	176	3	92	3	84
	56	1,567	49	1,240	7	327	6	176	5	109	1	67
7.—SWINEMUNDE -	621	46,029	444	32,319	177	13,710	172	9,702	132	7,518	40	2,184
	589	44,761	470	34,979	119	9,782	171	9,905	121	6,774	50	3,131
8.—WOLGAST - -	62	3,984	31	1,749	31	2,235	16	660	12	474	4	186
	69	7,648	44	2,849	25	1,799	21	880	9	314	12	566
9.—GREIFSWALDE -	129	9,387	45	1,580	84	7,807	35	2,386	17	763	18	1,623
	147	11,531	82	5,320	65	6,211	35	2,458	24	1,949	11	509
10.—STRALSUND -	300	19,313	128	5,674	172	13,639	105	5,590	61	2,469	44	3,121
	299	18,287	202	12,710	97	5,577	110	5,984	67	4,303	43	1,681
Total { Arrived -	3,223	285,994	1,297	87,816	1,926	198,178	1,649	132,099	570	29,032	1,079	103,067
Total { Cleared out	3,191	284,976	2,801	256,408	390	28,568	1,660	135,650	1,505	127,662	155	7,988
TOTAL - - -	6,414	570,970	4,098	344,224	2,316	226,746	3,309	267,749	2,075	156,694	1,234	111,055

PRUSSIA.

I.

Extract of a NOTE from Baron *Maltzahn*, Minister Plenipotentiary of His *Prussian* Majesty;—respecting British Produce and Manufactures:—And

II.

Extract of a NOTE from Baron *Maltzahn*, dated 8th and 9th April 1827;—respecting Vessels which entered into and cleared out from *Prussian* Ports in the Year 1826.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
1 *May* 1827.

CORN TRADE.

EXTRACT from the Order of the Cabinet of H. M. the King of *Prussia*, dated 12th September 1801.

(*Appendix* N° 40, *of the Report on the State of Agriculture in* 1821.)

To the Minister of State, Baron Von Schroetter.

WITH respect to taking off the new Duty on Wheat, I do not see that the Country can suffer from its continuance to the end of this year, as the Shipments of the present calendar year cannot continue much longer; the threshing out of the Wheat will not be finished before the end of the current year, and therefore the supply to the Seaport Towns can only begin within the month of January next year.

It is the fault of the Merchant himself if he has encumbered himself with a larger Stock than he could send to England before the 1st October, as he is sure of a good price to that time; and the new measure of the English Government for reducing the bounty, having occasioned an unnatural rise in the prices of the best Wheats, will make up to him in price what he would otherwise have received in bounty. Under these circumstances, I consider it so much the more advisable to postpone the taking off the Duty on Wheat till the month of December, as we shall then be able to judge with more certainty, whether the report of an unusually abundant Wheat Harvest in England is founded or not, and regulate our measures accordingly. Should the prices in England continue to that time, between 50 *s.* and 60 *s.* per quarter, the duty shall then be taken off; and shall only be continued in full, if they rise again to 80 *s* or 90 *s.*—should they in this period rise something less than this last mentioned price, the duty can be modified accordingly.

(signed)

FREDERICH WILHELM.

CORN TRADE.

EXTRACT from the Order of the Cabinet of H. M. the King of *Prussia*,
Dated 12th September 1801.

(*Appendix*, N° 40, *of the Report on the State of Agriculture in* 1821.)

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HAÏTI:

Copy of the Code Rural of that Island.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed*, 25 *May* 1827.

(TRANSLATION.)

Rural Code of Haïti.

Port-au-Prince.

Printed at the Government Press, July 1826.

Liberty! Equality!

Republic of Haïti.

RURAL CODE.

THE Chamber of Representatives of the Commons, upon the proposition of the President of Haïti, and having heard the Report from the Ministry of the Interior, has passed the SIX LAWS following; which constitute the Rural Code of Haïti.

LAW N° 1.

Law N° 1. Agriculture.

General Enactments relative to Agriculture.

Art. 1.—AGRICULTURE being the principal source of prosperity in a state, shall be specially protected and encouraged by the civil and military authorities.

Art. 2.—Citizens whose employment is agriculture shall not be taken from their labours, excepting in the cases provided for by the law.

Art. 3.—It being the duty of every citizen to aid in sustaining the state, either by his active services or by his industry, those who are not employed in the civil service, or called upon for the military service; those who do not exercise a licensed profession; those who are not employed in felling timber for exportation; in fine, those who cannot justify their means of existence, shall cultivate the soil.

Art. 4.—Citizens whose employment is agriculture shall not be permitted to quit the country to inhabit the towns and villages, without a permission from the justice of peace of the commune they desire to quit, and of the commune in which they desire to establish themselves. The justice of peace shall give this permission *only* after having ascertained that the person asking it is of good morals, that his conduct has been regular in the canton he is about to quit, and that he possesses the means of existence in the town he desires to inhabit. All those who do not conform to these regulations shall be considered as vagabonds, and treated as such.

Art. 5.—Children of either sex, whom their parents, being attached to agriculture, may be desirous of sending into the towns or villages, either for their apprenticeship or their education, shall be received by contractors, or by public or private teachers, *only* upon a certificate from a justice of peace; which certificate shall be granted upon the demand of the proprietor, or principal farmer of

Law N° 1. Agriculture.

the place; of the officer commanding the rural police, or of the father or mother of the child.

Every infraction of these regulations shall be punishable by a fine of twenty-five dollars, payable by him who receives the child without a certificate.

Art. 6.—Military enlistments, which can only be made by order of the President of Haïti, shall never be made of citizens attached to agriculture, unless by express command of the chief of the state, alleging imminent danger.

Art. 7.—No wholesale or retail shop shall be established, no traffic in the productions of the soil shall be carried on *in the country*, under any pretence whatever. Raw sugars sold to refiners, sweets sold to distilleries, and cotton in seed sold to ginning-mills, are excepted from these regulations.

Art. 8.—Nevertheless, licensed hawkers dwelling in towns or villages may carry about the country, and sell provisions, foreign merchandize, and iron wares.

Art. 9.—Houses or huts already built in the country parts of communes, in places where no regular villages have heretofore existed, which are only an assemblage of huts built by individuals for their own residence, or to let to others, shall be subject to a tax upon their letting value, in the same manner as houses in towns and villages.

In future no hut shall be erected in the country, but in some recognized village; unless it be dependent upon some rural establishment.

Art 10.—No proprietor bordering upon the sea shall be permitted to keep boats or craft, excepting such as are necessary for carrying his produce to the nearest town or village; and for these he shall take out a licence, to be delivered gratis by a justice of peace: these boats shall not, under any pretence, carry on the coasting trade between the neighbouring ports or islets, or be employed in fishing, excepting for the use of the plantation to which they belong.

Art. 11.—All fines and confiscations imposed by the Rural Code, not exceeding 100 dollars, shall be adjudged by a justice of peace; exceeding 100 dollars, by the civil tribunals. Half of all fines and confiscations shall belong to the treasury, and half to the informer.

Art. 12.—On the day of the Festival of Agriculture, groups of cultivators from each section shall present themselves at the place where the Council of Notables assembles, with samples of their labours. The Council of Notables, all the authorities being present, shall crown the cultivator (in each section for each species of cultivation) who shall be found to have cultivated his field in the best manner; he shall also receive a prize of encouragement. Accounts of these ceremonies shall be drawn up, and made public.

Art. 13.—On the 1st of September in each year the Council of Notables shall make to the President of Haïti a circumstantial report on the state of cultivation in each commune, accompanied by their observations upon what may tend to the improvement of cultivation.

Art. 14.—At the end of each year the commandants of districts shall report to the President of Haïti the condition of agriculture, and the state of the public roads in their respective districts.

Law N° 2. Agricultural Establishments.

Law N° 2.

General Administration of Agricultural Establishments.

CHAP. I.

Regulations for the Administration of the Landed part of Agricultural Establishments.

Sect. 1.—Of Limits, Boundaries, and Establishments.

Art. 15.—All lands situated in the country which have been granted by the state to be holden as national or as individual property, which have not yet been surveyed, shall be surveyed within one year from the publication of this Code, under a penalty of one dollar for every three acres of land, to be paid by the proprietor.

To ensure the due execution of the above enactment, the justice of peace of the commune, upon a declaration being made to him after the expiration of the delay allowed,

allowed, shall call in a surveyor duly appointed, to survey and lay down plans of the grants not surveyed, at the expense of the grantee; the justice shall thereupon adjudge and levy the fine and expenses.

Art. 16.—From and after the date of the publication aforesaid, no sales of property situated in the country shall be made before a notary, unless the lands have previously been surveyed, or the boundaries be distinctly laid down in the title-deeds. In no case shall any partial sale take place, unless the ground has previously been surveyed. Notaries who neglect to observe these formalities shall be subject to the penalties imposed by law.

Art. 17.—Every grant of land dated before the publication of this Code which shall not be begun to be cultivated within one year from its publication, and every grant which may be made hereafter, and which shall not be begun to be cultivated within one year after the date of such grant, shall be re-united to the domains of the state; the title shall be withdrawn, and returned to the government.

Art. 18.—To carry into effect the provision of the preceding article, the officer commanding the rural police, in conjunction with the Council of Agriculture, shall make a report of the state of abandonment of the grant to the justice of peace, and to the military commandant of the commune, who, after having inquired into the correctness of the report, shall sign it, and address it to the commandant of the district, who, having duly verified it, shall withdraw the title, and send it to the government.

Art. 19.—An establishment for the cultivation of a grant of land shall be held to be commenced as soon as a garden shall be planted according to the rules established by law, the extent of which shall be proportioned to the number of labourers attached to the property.

Art. 20.—Proprietors of cultivated lands bordering upon each other, shall enclose their lands at their joint expense.

The proprietor who may refuse to do so shall be compelled by proceedings at law.

Art. 21.—Proprietors are bound, when their grants are surveyed, to cause proper landmarks to be erected, either in iron, in masonry, or in durable wood, under penalty of a fine of five dollars for each landmark which may be wanting.

Art. 22.—Proprietors who may have neglected to obey the preceding enactments shall, after having paid the fine, be compelled to pay the workman employed by the justice to erect the landmark.

Sect. 2.—Duties imposed upon Proprietors or Persons having the Management of Rural Properties.

Art. 23.—It is particularly forbidden to cut down woods upon the summits of hills, or within one hundred paces from their summits, at the head or in the neighbourhood of springs, or upon banks of streams. Proprietors of lands watered by springs or rivers, are bound to plant bananas, bamboos, and other trees capable of preserving moisture around the springs, and upon the banks of the rivers.

Art. 24.—Proprietors intending to burn wood-land, old canes, savannas, or other land, shall give twenty-four hours notice to the neighbouring proprietors, under pain of being otherwise responsible for all damages the fire may occasion.

Art. 25.—When a fire breaks out upon a property, the neighbouring proprietors and labourers shall attend and assist in extinguishing it.

Art. 26.—It is forbidden to light fires in the savannas, fields, or gardens of plantations, without express permission of the proprietors, managers, overseers, or drivers upon them.

Art. 27.—No cattle but those absolutely necessary for carrying on the cultivations, or for the personal use of the proprietors, overseers, drivers, farmers or labourers, shall be kept upon estates intended for cultivation, for manufactories, or for other establishments; and these shall be kept by day in herds, and by night in enclosed pastures or parks.

Art. 28.—Horses, mules, horned-cattle, swine, &c. intended for breeding, shall only be kept in pens established according to law N° 4. on pens.

Art. 29.—No proprietor, farmer, or overseer of a plantation, shall adopt a system contrary to that established by law.

Art. 30.—No union or association of labourers settled upon an estate, shall be permitted to farm the whole estate, to cultivate it themselves in partnership.

Art. 31.—The huts of labourers shall all be built upon the same spot, upon the plantation to which they are attached.

Law N° 2. Agricultural Establishments.

CHAP. II.

Of Cultivation in general.

Art. 32.—The first class of cultivation consists in plantations which yield produce for exportation, every kind of grain, and the provisions necessary for the subsistence of the people.

Art. 33.—Those who carry on this class of cultivation shall be subject to the territorial and land-taxes upon the gross amount only of the produce they raise fit for exportation.

Art. 34.—The second class of cultivation consists of kitchen and flower-gardens, fruit-trees, provisions and forage, when these are raised on estates not destined to raise produce of the first class.

Art. 35.—Those who carry on this class of cultivation shall be subject to the territorial and land-tax upon the estimated value of the weekly produce they raise.

Art. 36.—The proprietor of every plantation shall be compelled to cultivate provisions, corn, fruit-trees, such as the bread-fruit, &c. sufficient to provide for the people employed.

Art. 37.—Gardens, whether of produce, provisions or corn, shall be carefully cultivated; for which the proprietor, farmer or overseer shall be responsible under a penalty of from three to fifteen dollars.

Art. 38.—The labourers attached to any plantation labouring for one quarter of the produce, shall have assigned to them for their personal use a garden for provisions, which they shall cultivate during their hours and days of rest.

Art. 39.—To effect the preceding article, proprietors, farmers or overseers, shall place at the disposal of the labourers sufficient ground for their gardens.

Art. 40.—The dykes, ponds and canals, which supply the water required by the inhabitants for irrigation, or for any other purpose, shall be kept in repair by the parties interested, who shall contribute to the labour necessary for their repair. No one shall be permitted to evade this work, nor to appropriate the water belonging to his neighbour without his consent. Persons guilty of infractions shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten dollars, nor more than fifty dollars; and shall, moreover, repair at their own charges the canal they may have obstructed or destroyed.

Art. 41.—When the produce is about to be put into sacks, bales, casks or packages, upon a rural property, the officer commanding the rural police of the section shall have the right of inspecting the produce, to ascertain that it is not adulterated; and should it be so, he shall stop the delivery, and report it to the justice of the peace of the commune. Should the produce be badly manufactured only, he shall stop its removal, and compel the proprietor to clean it.

Art. 42.—The justice, upon receiving the report, shall name skilful persons to examine the produce, and should the adulteration be proved, the produce shall be confiscated to the states.

Art. 43.—Produce fit for exportation shall not be removed from the plantations to towns or villages, and sent into circulation, but with a permit from the proprietor, when resident, or from the officer commanding the rural police, when the proprietor is not resident. The permit shall be delivered gratis, upon unstamped paper, by the officer commanding the police, who shall enregister it.

Art 44.—All produce removed in contravention of the preceding article shall be stopped on the road, and taken before the justice of peace of the commune, who shall inquire whether the produce have not been stolen, for the purpose of restoring it to the owner, and pursuing the supposed guilty person. Where the owner of the produce shall have neglected to furnish the permit, he shall be subject to a fine of not less than three dollars.

Law N° 3.

Upon the mutual Contracts to be entered into between Proprietors, or Chief Farmers, and Agriculturists, Cultivators, or Labourers, and their reciprocal Obligations.

CHAP. I.

General Enactments.

Art. 45.—All persons not in active employment of the state, as soldiers, workmen and others, and whose business it is to cultivate the soil, or to fell timber for exportation, shall, for the security of their common interests, enter into a mutual engagement with the proprietor or chief farmer of the plantation or wood upon which they are destined to exercise their industry. The engagement with the labourers may be made either collectively or individually.

Art. 46.—No engagement for the second class of cultivation, or for manufactures, shall be for a shorter period than two years, nor for more than nine years: for all other species of cultivation, for less than three years, nor more than nine years; and for felling timber for exportation, for less than six months, nor more than one year.

Art. 47.—The contract shall be made upon stamped paper before a notary, who shall keep a minute of it: it must express distinctly all the conditions agreed upon by the contracting parties, who may insert any stipulations they please, provided such stipulations be not in opposition to the enactments of this Code.

Art. 48.—Any proprietor, farmer or overseer of a plantation, who shall receive or employ upon the plantation any cultivators or labourers, without having made with them the contract required by articles 47 and 49, shall be condemned for the first offence to a fine of ten dollars for each person so employed; and in case of a repetition of the offence, to double the amount; and moreover, shall be deprived of any remedy against the labourers for default of their verbal engagements. This enactment extends to labourers employed in felling timber for exportation.

Art. 49.—Any contract entered into with a labourer whose preceding contract shall not have expired, shall be absolutely void; and the labourer who shall have made such second contract shall be re-conducted, at his own expense, to the plantation where he had previously engaged himself, and shall be subject to the fine imposed by article 48.

Art. 50.—Head-men of parties working for one half of the produce, shall share in equal portions with the principal proprietor of the plantation, all fruits, provisions, vegetables, grain and produce which they may raise upon the land cultivated by halves.

Art. 51.—When sugar plantations are worked by halves, the proprietor shall, before the division takes place, deduct one-fifth of the gross produce for the use of the works, utensils, stock, &c. employed, or for the expenses of repairs; and in other cases the amount of the plantation expenses shall be deducted before the division.

Art. 52.—Labourers working for one quarter of the revenue raised by themselves, shall divide one clear quarter of the gross produce they may raise: they shall likewise enjoy the whole of the fruits raised in their individual gardens, cultivated by themselves during their hours and days of rest.

Art. 53.—When the seasons require that the works upon great sugar manufactories, coffee, cotton and indigo estates, shall be pushed with activity, the different parties upon the same plantation who work for half-produce shall assist each other in their labours, affording to each other an equal number of days assistance; these mutual aids shall be regulated by the manager of the estate.

Art. 54.—When the produce or crop has been manufactured or gathered in, whether it be made or gathered by parties working for half or quarter produce, it shall not be removed from the estate until after a division has been made between the proprietor or head farmer and the labourers working at half or quarter produce.

Art. 55.—Upon sugar estates, the division shall be made after the working of each patch of canes: upon estates cultivated in corn or provisions, woods felled for fire-wood, charcoal, cabinet-making, or building, in forage, and other irregular productions,

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ductions, the division shall be made every six months; and upon all other estates, such as plantations of coffee, cotton, cocoa, indigo, &c. the division shall take place after the crops.

Art. 56.—When the time for dividing the proceeds of the produce belonging to the labourers arrives, the officer commanding the rural police of the section shall be called in by the proprietor, head farmer or overseer, to witness the division. The accounts of the produce manufactured or crops gathered in, and a certificate of the price current, shall be produced, together with a certificate from the purchaser of the produce enumerated in article 55. A list of all persons entitled to share shall be made out, and the respective profits shall be allotted.

Art. 57.—Each individual entitled to share, shall be inscribed upon the list in one of three classes, according to his strength and activity, and the time he has worked.

The monies to be shared shall be divided into quarter shares, half shares, and shares. The drivers and headmen shall be entitled to three shares each.

Sugar-boilers, and chief carter, and other headmen, two shares each.

Good working men and women of the first class, a share and half each.

Those of the second class, a share each.

Those of the third class, three quarters of a share each.

Children from twelve to sixteen years of age, and elderly people, half a share each.

Children from nine to twelve, and weak infirm people, a quarter share each.

Any monies remaining over and above the shares paid to each person shall be divided among those who have shown the most steadiness and activity in their labour.

Art. 58.—Tickets, certifying the days they have been present, shall be given to day-labourers.

These day-tickets shall be withdrawn once in each week, and weekly tickets substituted for them. Account shall be taken of these weekly tickets at the time of the divisions of produce or crop.

Art. 59.—In no case shall the officer commanding the rural police deduct from the amount to be divided any thing for himself.

He shall draw up a written account of these divisions, and shall send it, with the necessary vouchers, to the Council of Notables, as a document of reference in case of necessity.

Art. 60.—Proprietors, farmers and overseers, are forbidden to give permission to any labourer to travel in the commune, or to absent himself from his domicile and work, for more than eight days; the permit shall be on unstamped paper, delivered gratis, and signed by the officer commanding the rural police. When the parties require a longer leave of absence, the proprietor, farmer or overseer, shall refer them to the commandant of the commune.

CHAP. II.

Of the Duties of Proprietors, Farmers or Overseers, towards the Labourers.

Art. 61.—Proprietors, farmers or overseers, shall employ the labourers with whom they have contracted in agricultural labour, or labour relating to agriculture *only*. They shall treat their labourers as parents would their children.

Art. 62.—Proprietors or head farmers shall supply, at their own expense, labourers working at quarter-produce, with tools and farming implements; these tools shall only be replaced when proved to have been worn out or broken in the service of the proprietor.

The labourer who loses the tools supplied to him, shall replace them himself; if he do not he shall receive others, the price of which shall be deducted from his share of the produce.

Art. 63.—The proprietor or head farmer shall supply the labourers working at quarter-produce with the means of conveying their share of the produce to the place of sale free of expense; the labourers working at half-produce shall convey their share at their own expense.

Art. 64.—When the proprietor or chief farmer undertakes to dispose of the portion of the produce applicable to labourers working at quarter-produce, or belongingging to those at half-produce, he shall be bound to prove, in the most legal manner, the price-current of the produce at the time of sale, and to produce at the

the time of the division of the proceeds a certificate from the purchaser, as well as the price-current, duly attested.

Art. 65.—When the portion of produce belonging to the labourers is sold by the drivers or jobbers, these shall likewise be bound to produce the price-current at the time of sale, duly attested, and a certificate from the purchaser; for the purpose of proving that the sharers have received their fair and just rights.

Art. 66.—The proprietor or head farmer shall in no case deduct any thing from the share of produce due to the labourers for the payment of the salaries of overseers. These salaries shall always be paid by the proprietor or head farmer.

Art. 67.—Proprietors or farmers shall be required, under penalty of not less than five dollars, nor more than fifteen dollars, to engage with a medical man for attendance upon the labourers, and to supply medicines when any are to be procured in the commune: these medicines shall be supplied gratis to labourers working at quarter produce; they shall be paid for at the cost price by all others.

Art. 68.—Proprietors and principal farmers of rural properties shall take care that infant children are properly taken care of; one or more nurses shall be appointed for this purpose: the expenses attending this shall be borne by the labourers.

CHAP. III.

Of the Duties of Labourers towards Proprietors, Farmers or Overseers.

Art. 69.—Labourers shall be submissive and respectful to the proprietors and farmers with whom they have contracted, as well as the overseers.

Art. 70.—Labourers shall perform with zeal and exactitude whatever agricultural labours may be required of them by the proprietors, farmers or overseers with whom they have contracted.

Art. 71.—Labourers, under whatever name, or upon whatever condition they may have bound themselves, shall dedicate the whole of their time to such labour, and shall not quit it upon any pretence whatever; they shall not absent themselves from their houses at any time, but from Saturday morning until Monday before sunrise, without permission from the proprietor, farmer or overseer; on all other days of labour they shall be required to have a permit from the proprietor, head farmer or overseer, if they are not to go beyond the bounds of their commune; for all other purposes the permit must be countersigned by the officer commanding the rural police of the section, and by the commandant of the place.

Art. 72.—Labourers working at quarter-produce, or those entitled to half-produce, shall be bound to prepare, and to put into condition for delivery, the part of the produce appertaining to the proprietor or farmer, and to convey it to the place of delivery; the means of transport being provided by the proprietor or farmer.

CHAP. IV.

Of the Sub-contracts between Agriculturists at Half-produce and the Labourers employed by them.

Art. 73.—Sub-farmers and head-men of bands upon plantations shall have the power of sub-contracting with labourers; but they shall be answerable to the proprietor or head farmer for the conduct of the persons they engage.

Art. 74.—The number of sub-contractors shall never exceed ten for each sub-farmer or head-man.

CHAP V.

Rules respecting Persons in the service of the Republic residing and working upon Plantations.

Art. 75.—Soldiers in active service, and other persons employed by the state, shall be permitted to engage themselves to proprietors, farmers, head-men of bands working at half-produce, or sub-farmers, for agricultural labour, either at quarter or half-produce, or as sub-farmers; they shall be liable to all the engagements which they may contract, so far as the same may be compatible with their public duties.

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Art. 76.—When soldiers or other persons in the employ of the state, who have taken up their abode upon a plantation, shall have entered into no engagement with the proprietor or farmer of the plantation, they may make a verbal or written contract with him to labour by the week, by the month, or by the piece, upon whatever terms and conditions they please; but these soldiers shall be obliged to join, without remuneration, in all labours necessary for repairing the water-courses, wells and cisterns upon the estate, the hedges and enclosures of gardens and meadows, and in maintaining order upon the plantation.

Art. 77.—When soldiers or other persons in the employ of the state shall not comport themselves towards the owners or farmers of the estate upon which they dwell according to articles 75 and 76 of this law, they may be sent off the property.

Art. 78.—Soldiers or others in the service of the state, who engage themselves to proprietors or farmers to labour for wages by the week or otherwise, shall respect and obey the owners, farmers and overseers of the estate to whom they have engaged themselves.

Art. 79.—When soldiers or others employed in the service of the state, are required by the proprietor, farmer or overseer, to work by the day, the week, the job or otherwise, in a field cultivated by labourers working at quarter-produce, or to assist in gathering in its produce, or the manufacture of it, their wages shall be deducted from the gross amount of the proceeds of such labour, before the quarter belonging to the other labourers is separated.

Art. 80.—When labourers, such as those mentioned in the preceding article, are called upon by head-men of bands entitled to half the produce to aid them in their labours, their wages shall be paid out of the moiety of the produce coming to such labourers, before the division of it takes place.

If these labourers quit the work they have contracted to do, of their own free will, before the end of the week, they shall be entitled to no remuneration for the time they may have laboured during the beginning of the week.

CHAP. VI.

Of the Mode of deciding all Disputes between Proprietors, Farmers, Overseers, and Cultivators at Half-produce, Sub-farmers, &c.

Art. 81.—When disagreements arise between proprietors, agriculturists, farmers, overseers, and cultivators at half-produce, or sub-farmers, the parties shall in the first instance carry their complaints before the officer commanding the rural police of the section, who, being assisted, if necessary, by the Council of Agriculture of the district, shall endeavour to bring about a compromise between the parties, in all matters falling within his jurisdiction.

Art. 82.—When the matter in dispute cannot be settled by the officer commanding the rural police, assisted by the Council of Agriculture, he shall require the parties to name arbitrators within the section to regulate and terminate their differences.

Art. 83.—When the matter in dispute cannot be decided by arbitration on the spot, or where the parties have neglected to name arbitrators, the officer commanding the rural police shall wait until Saturday or Sunday, to refer the parties to the justice of peace of the commune: the delay must not exceed six days.

Art. 84.—The justice of peace is bound to decide the matter in dispute; and shall not allege the silence of the law on the matter in dispute as a ground for refusing to give judgment, under penalty of a denial of justice.

Art. 85.—The justice of peace shall give judgment within twenty-four hours after the appearance of the parties.

Law N° 4.

Upon Cattle-Pens.

CHAP. I.

Establishment of Cattle-Pens, and the Management of them.

Law N° 4. Cattle-pens.

Art. 86.—Cattle-pens shall only be established at places at the least one league distant from plantations.

Art. 87.—Hereafter no one shall establish a pen for horned cattle who has not at least 150 acres of pasture land; and for hogs 75 acres.

Art. 88.—The number of keepers shall not in any case exceed five men, including the head-keeper, with their wives and children.

Art. 89.—When a keeper finds among the herds intrusted to him, or in the meadows belonging to the pen in which he is employed, stray cattle, he shall forthwith give notice thereof to the neighbouring keepers, and if the cattle do not belong to their pens, he shall send notice to the officer commanding the rural police of the section.

Art. 90.—When the cattle mentioned in the preceding article have remained three months in a pen unclaimed, they shall be conducted by the pen-keeper to the justice of peace of the commune, to be placed among the strays.

Art. 91.—When any animal in a pen shall be found to be attacked by any contagious disease, it shall be instantly separated from the other cattle, and taken care of until its recovery or death, under penalty of a fine not less than ten, nor more than twenty dollars, to be paid by the pen-keeper.

Art. 92.—Every animal which dies in a pen of a contagious or epizootic disease, shall be burnt or buried.

Art. 93.—It is strictly forbidden, under penalty of a fine of not less than ten, nor more than twenty dollars, to burn the savannas or meadows of pens without the permission of the officer commanding the rural police.

Art. 94.—When cattle upon plantations die from ordinary disease or accident in the absence of the proprietor or farmer, the head-keeper shall procure a certificate of the death of the animal from the officer commanding the rural police, or from the neighbours: and the skin, having the stamp or brand, shall be produced to the proprietor; in default of which, the pen-keeper shall replace the animal.

Art. 95.—Animals belonging to pens, as well as those used for cultivation upon plantations, shall be stamped with brand-marks only: it is strictly forbidden to make any marks upon them by the hand.

CHAP. II.

Of the Engagements to be entered into between the Proprietors or Farmers of Cattle-Pens, and those attached to them.

Art. 96.—Proprietors or farmers of cattle-pens shall not receive or employ at their pens any keepers, or other persons, who have not previously bound themselves, as directed by article 47, or Law 3.

Art. 97.—The duties reciprocally imposed upon proprietors and farmers and those who labour, shall also extend to proprietors or farmers of cattle-pens and those employed by them, so far as the same relate to order and general police.

Art. 98.—Keepers of cattle-pens shall not be permitted to receive at their master's pen any cattle or beasts without permission of the proprietor or farmer of the pen.

Art. 99.—The pen-keeper shall not remove or sell any animal belonging to the pen, unless he produce the permission of the proprietor or farmer in writing, and a permit upon stamped paper from the officer commanding the rural police of the section; who shall register the permit, and the brand of the animal.

Law N° 5.
Upon the keeping and damage done by Animals.

Law N° 5.

Upon the custody and keeping of Animals, and upon the damage which they may do in the Fields.

Art. 100.—Cattle belonging to labourers shall be kept in herds, along with those of the proprietor, and the keepers shall be paid their salaries, half by the proprietor and half by the labourer.

Art. 101.—It is forbidden to kill or maim beasts of burden, or horned cattle, found trespassing upon cultivated land, or in gardens.

Art. 102.—It is likewise forbidden to kill or maim sheep found trespassing in fenced gardens or enclosures.

Art. 103.—Pigs and goats found trespassing in fenced gardens or enclosures may be killed.

Art. 104.—The animals enumerated in articles 101 and 102, which may be found in cultivated gardens, shall be conducted, twenty-four hours afterwards, before a justice of the peace, to be sent to the pound, unless within that time the owner of them withdraw them from the pen belonging to the plantation upon which they may be found.

Art. 105.—The officer commanding the rural police shall, within twenty-four hours after complaint made by the parties injured, draw up in writing a statement of the damage done by the animals, and send it to the justice of peace, unless compensation be voluntarily made to the owner of the garden.

Art. 106.—The officer of rural police shall take care that he send the written statement to the justice of peace duly certified, that the said justice may be able to decide according to law.

Art. 107.—The keepers who may have suffered the animals mentioned in article 27 to escape, shall pay the expenses attending their recapture, according to the tariff established by law.

Art. 108.—Proprietors, farmers, or overseers upon plantations, are expressly forbidden to work, or use in any manner, the animals found in their garden, during the time they may remain in their pens before they are sent to the pound; any infringement of this article shall be punished by a fine of not less than five, nor more than fifteen dollars.

Art. 109.—The capture of the animals enumerated in articles 101 and 102, taken in gardens and conducted to the pound, shall be paid for as follows: For each horse or mule, one dollar; for each ass, seventy-five cents; for each head of horned cattle, one dollar and a half; and for each sheep, twenty-five cents: one half to belong to the person taking them, and one half to the guards.

Art. 110.—When animals taken in gardens are withdrawn from the pen before they are sent to the pound, the owner shall pay half the above fines to the person who takes them only.

Art. 111.—When an animal taken in a garden and sent to the pen happens to die by accident or otherwise, during the short time it remains there, or while it is being conducted to the residence of the justice of peace belonging to the commune, the officer commanding the police shall call for witnesses to prove the cause of the death of the animal.

Art. 112.—When the death of the animal shall prove to have been occasioned by negligence, want of food, or violence, the proprietor, farmer, or overseer of the plantation, shall pay for it according to its value, to be estimated by arbitrators named by the justice. The amount thus paid shall be remitted to the administration of the district, to be paid to the owner of the animal, should he appear, or to be paid into the treasury. In all cases the damage done by the animal shall be paid for out of this money.

Art. 113.—When animals taken in gardens by virtue of article 104, are conducted to the justice of peace of the commune, to be sent to the pound, if the owner consent to pay for the damage done and the expenses of capture before the beast be sent to the pound, the justice of peace shall consent.

Art. 114.—Persons conducting herds of cattle from one commune to another, whether for sale or for agricultural purposes, shall provide themselves with a permit, setting forth the kind and number of the animals they are conducting, their description, and brands.

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Art. 115.—These permits shall be delivered by the commandants of communes, or countersigned by them, upon permits given by the owners, or upon certificates furnished by the officer commanding the rural police of the sections from whence the animals came. These permits must be registered by those who give them, and countersigned by the commandants of the communes through which the herds may pass.

Art. 116.—The drivers of herds who may be met by the police or gen-d'armerie shall, upon demand, show their permits; and if the number of beasts or their description shall not be found to agree with the particulars stated in the permit, and if any cause of suspicion should exist, the drivers may be taken up and conducted to the nearest post, with the animals in their possession, to be taken before the justice of peace of the commune.

Art. 117.—If the parties taken before the justice cannot prove their right of property in those animals not included in the permit, and are unable to give good and sufficient security for their re-appearance with such proof within the time to be allowed them, not exceeding fifteen days, they shall be committed to prison, and the animals sent to the pound.

Art. 118.—Within one month from the day of the arrest the justice shall write to the justice of the commune from which the party committed may come, or to the officer commanding the rural police of the section to which he belongs (if he belong to the same commune), to make inquiries about the person committed and the animals stopped: upon receipt of this information, it shall be forwarded to the public minister, together with a written statement from the justice, of the grounds of ulterior proceedings against the party detained, should sufficient cause appear for such proceedings.

Law N° 6 Rural Police.

Law N° 6.

Rural Police.

FIRST HEAD.

General Enactments.

Art. 119.—Rural police embraces every thing that concerns the administration and prosperity of rural properties.

Art. 120.—Rural police shall be carried into effect under the inspection of commandants of districts and commandants of communes; by officers commanding the rural police, to be stationed in sections of each commune, by guards, by gen-d'armerie, and, in cases of necessity, by detachments of troops of the line.

Art. 121.—Justices of peace have also authority to exercise rural police in the cases provided by the law.

Art. 122.—The Council of Notables and the Councils of Agriculture assist the authorities, in cases of necessity, to secure perfect superintendence and inspection by the agricultural police.

SECOND HEAD.

Of the Inspection.

CHAP. I.

Of the supreme Inspection of Commanders of Districts.

Art. 123.—The commandant of each military district, having the general inspection of the cultivation of the district entrusted to him, unites in his own person all the authority necessary for enforcing agriculture; (*pour la mise en activité de la culture*): he is responsible,

1st. For the decay of agriculture in his district:

2dly. For the due execution of all or part of the Code of Agriculture within his district:

3dly. For the neglect of commandants of communes under his command to inspect and superintend agriculture within their respective communes, when he has not prevented such neglect.

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Art. 124.—The commandant of each district shall inspect once in each year each rural section in the several communes composing his district, and inform himself personally of the due execution of the laws, and of the progress and state of labour, and make a detailed report of these matters to the President of Haïti.

Art. 125.—The yearly report, which the commandant of each district is required to make to the President of Haïti, shall state the number of plantations kept up in each section, the nature of their produce, an account of their improvement or falling off, and, lastly, the state of the public and private roads.

CHAP. II.

Of the Inspection of Commandants of Places and Communes.

Art. 126.—The commandant of the place or commune has the chief inspection of the cultivation of the commune: if he have within his command cantons or parishes erected into military posts, the commandants of such posts have the inspection of the cultivation of the territory under their command.

Art. 127.—The commandant of the commune is responsible for the deterioration of the cultivation of the commune within his command, when it arises from negligence in any part of the service.

Art. 128.—The commandant of the place or commune shall go the round of the different sections within his command three times in every year.

Art. 129.—The commandant of the commune in his rounds shall visit the fields, provision-grounds, enclosures, and new plantations. He shall examine into all the details set forth in the Rural Code. He shall inquire whether the officer commanding the rural police has duly performed all the duties imposed upon him by law. He shall repress all negligences and irregularities, and shall draw up a report of the whole in the form prescribed for each section; a copy of which shall be forwarded to the commandant of the district.

CHAP. III.

Of Rural Sections, Officers commanding the Rural Police, Guards and Overseers, and Drivers upon Plantations.

Sect. 1.—Of Rural Sections.

Art. 130.—The communes shall, by an ordinance for that purpose to be made by the President of Haïti for each district, be divided into agricultural sections, of about four leagues extent in the plains, and according to the nature of the ground in the mountains.

Art. 131.—Each section shall be named, and its limits and boundaries fixed.

Art. 132.—As soon as the sections are formed, the commandant of the commune, assisted by the Council of Notables, and one of the private surveyors, shall draw up, upon schedules prepared by the justice of peace, triple rolls of all plantations situated in each section, with the names of the proprietors, the extent of each property, and the kind of tillage carried on upon each plantation. One of these rolls shall be deposited in the office of the commandant of the commune, one with the Council of Notables, and the third in the hands of the officer commanding the rural police of the section.

Art. 133.—The Council of Notables shall furnish the justice of peace of the commune with an examined copy of the schedule deposited in their office. The commandant of the commune shall furnish the commandant of the district with a similar copy of the schedule deposited in his office. The commandant of the district, after having collected all the rolls of plantations of all the sections of each commune forming his district, shall draw up a schedule of the whole, a copy of which he shall forward to the President of Haïti.

Art. 134.—The officer commanding the rural police shall give notice to the commandant of the commune, of each transfer of a rural property situated within the section, and of each change in the mode of cultivation adopted. The commandant of the commune shall note such transfer or change of cultivation upon the roll deposited in his office, and shall give notice of the same to the commandant of the district, who shall likewise note the same upon the roll in his hands, and inform the government of it.

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Art. 135.—The Council of Agriculture of the section shall give the notice mentioned in the preceding article to the Council of Notables of the commune; and the Council of Notables, after having noted it, shall inform the justice of peace, who shall cause the same to be inscribed upon the copy of the roll deposited in his office.

Art 136.—Every year, between the 1st and 15th of February, the officers commanding the rural police of each section, shall receive from the agents for taxes of their commune, a certain number of stamped schedules of population in blank; which they shall furnish to the proprietor, farmer, or overseer of each plantation of the section, before the end of the same month; receiving from them the value of the stamp, which the officer shall pay over to the agent for taxes. This stamp duty shall be as follows: The stamped schedule of population for an estate containing thirty acres of land, shall be twelve cents and a half; for thirty-three to sixty acres, *twenty-five cents*; for sixty-three acres and upwards, *fifty cents*.

Art. 137.—The proprietors, farmers, or overseers of plantations, shall return the schedule of population, filled up in the manner pointed out, to the officer commanding the rural police, at the latest on the 20th of March following, under penalty of a fine of not less than fifteen, nor more than fifty dollars.

Art. 138.—The officer commanding the rural police of each section shall, on the 5th of April at the latest, return all the schedules of population of his section, or the names of the defaulters, to the Council of Notables of each commune, under penalty of the fine imposed by the preceding article.

Art. 139.—On the first of May in every year, the Council of Notables of each commune shall forward to government the original schedules of population which they may have received in virtue of the preceding article.

Section 2.—Of the Officers Commanding the Rural Police, and of the Guards.

Art. 140.—A military officer of subaltern rank, (from sub-lieutenant to captain), to be named by the President of Haïti, shall be stationed in each rural section: this officer shall be charged with the superintendence of the section, and with its police.

Art. 141.—The officers commanding the rural police of the different sections shall be independent of each other, and shall report only to the commandant of the commune and the commandant of the district under whose orders they are placed; they shall also correspond with the civil authorities, and attend to their requisitions.

Art. 142.—The dwelling or station of the officer commanding the rural police shall be in the centre of his section, upon the public road which traverses it.

Art. 143.—The officer commanding the rural police is particularly bound to push agriculture to the utmost extent within the section confided to him, and to cause the laws to be observed, and property to be respected. He is responsible in the whole extent of his section.

1st. For the due execution of the Rural Code in what is of his competence, as well as of all other acts of the government relative to agriculture, and to rural police:

2d. For every neglect of superintendence and manual labour upon the plantations of the section:

3d. For all vagrancies, disorders and disobedience to the police, within his section, when he has not prevented them, or reported them to superior authority.

He shall make oath before the commandant of the district before entering upon the duties of his office.

Art. 144.—The officer commanding the rural police shall have under his command at some fixed station three guards, one of whom shall be of the rank of quarter-master, and perform the duties of secretary, one of the rank of serjeant, and the third a private dragoon. These guards shall be sworn; the oath shall be taken in the presence of the commandant of the district.

Art. 145.—The officer commanding the rural police shall make the round of his section, and visit each plantation once in the week.

Art. 146.—The officer commanding the rural police shall hold himself in readiness to attend to the requisitions of proprietors, managers or overseers, by day and by night, and to send guards to them, to enforce obedience to the law, and maintain order.

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Art. 147.—One of the guards shall repeat every week upon each plantation of the section the visit of the officer, so that each plantation shall be visited at the least twice in every week.

Art. 148.—When an officer or his guards in their ordinary rounds arrive upon any plantation, they shall call first for the proprietor, or, in his absence, for the chief farmer or manager, and shall inquire if every thing has been orderly: after this formality, they shall inspect the labourers personally, to satisfy themselves that these are properly conducted; they shall ascertain that all the labourers are present and at work; and they shall inquire into the cause of the absence of any of them, and shall act therein according to law.

Art. 149.—When an officer commanding the rural police of a section is prevented, by any lawful excuse, from making the round and visit directed by articles 145 and 146, he shall give notice thereof to the commandant of the commune, who shall appoint an officer of gen-d'armerie, or of the troops of the line quartered in the commune, to do the duty for him while the impediment lasts.

Art. 150.—Any officer commanding the rural police who, without lawful excuse, shall neglect to make the rounds and visits directed by the articles 145 and 146, shall suffer a punishment, to be inflicted by the commandant of the commune; and, in case of repetition of the omission, he shall be reported to the commandant of the district, who shall report him to the President of Haïti.

Art. 151.—Every Sunday morning the officer commanding the rural police shall present himself in person, or send one of his guards, with a written report to the commandant of the commune, to inform him of whatever remarkable circumstances may have occurred in his section.

Art. 152.—The officer commanding the rural police, and the guards, shall receive their pay and allowances, according to their respective ranks, at the same time when the troops of the line in active service are paid.

Art. 153.—The state shall supply the guards with arms, accoutrements, and uniforms, in the same manner as to the troops of the line.

Art. 154.—The uniform of officers commanding the rural police shall be a green coat with flaps and lappels turned back, red collar and cuffs, red facings, white lining, plated buttons, with a cornucopia surmounted by the cap of liberty, and the words "Republique d'Haïti" engraved upon them, and a cocked hat.

They shall also bear the epaulettes and fringes of their respective ranks, wear white waiscoats and pantaloons and boots.

The uniform of the guards shall be a jacket of cloth of the same colour and make as their officers, with the distinctive marks of their rank in silver or white worsted lace, and plated helmets: their arms shall be the dragoon sabre, carbine, and cartouche-box; they shall wear a red belt from right to left, with the words "*force à la loi*" inscribed upon it in blue letters.

Sect. 3.—Of Overseers and Drivers (*conducteurs*) upon Plantations.

Art. 155.—Upon every plantation where the proprietor is not resident, and where there is no principal resident farmer, there shall be a manager or overseer, to be appointed by the proprietor or farmer.

Art. 156.—The proprietor or farmer, after having selected the manager or overseer who suits him, shall enter into a mutual contract or agreement with him, in the presence of a notary, upon such terms and conditions as the parties may agree upon. The proprietor or farmer shall afterwards make the manager or overseer known to the officer commanding the rural police of the section.

Art. 157.—Every proprietor or principal farmer of a rural property not resident on his property or cultivated farm, upon which the number of labourers shall exceed ten persons, and who shall not have appointed a manager or overseer, shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten, nor more than fifty dollars, according to the extent of the property: when the number of labourers does not exceed ten persons, the management may be entrusted to a driver.

Art. 158.—The duties of the manager or overseer are to superintend, for the interest of the proprietor who employs him, the labours carried on upon the plantation entrusted to him.

Art. 159.—The managers or overseers upon plantations are answerable to the proprietors or chief farmers for every neglect or abandonment of labour where they are employed: they shall be prosecuted by the parties injured.

Art. 160.—The manager or overseer shall be respected by the labourers upon the estate where he is employed.

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Art. 161.—Upon estates where the fields or gardens are parcelled out among associations working at half-produce, or among sub-farmers or jobbers, each headman of association, and each sub-farmer or jobber becomes the driver of his gang or of his association; he is answerable for their labour.

Art. 162.—The duties of the drivers are to cause the work to be done by the gangs entrusted to them, under the directions of the proprietor, farmer, manager, or overseer.

Art. 163.—The drivers are answerable for every neglect of work, for every absence without leave of the labourers, and for every misconduct, excess or idleness committed by the labourers, when they have not reported the same to the proper authorities,

Art. 164.—The drivers shall be remunerated from the proceeds of the produce raised by the gangs which they direct, according to Art. 57 of Law N° 3.

CHAP. IV.

Of the Council of Agriculture in the Rural Sections.

Art. 165.—On the first of May in every year, being the Festival of Agriculture, the commandant of each commune, assisted by the justice of peace and the Council of Notables, shall select from each section three of the most respectable citizens, being proprietors, farmers, managers or overseers, to form the Council of Agriculture of the section.

Art. 166.—The appointment of the members of the Council of Agriculture shall be immediately made known by the commandant of the commune to the commandant of the district, who shall communicate it to the Government.

Art. 167.—The members of the Council of Agriculture are elected for the space of one year only; but they may be re-elected each year, in consideration of the zeal with which they may have discharged their duties in the preceding year.

Art. 168.—The Councils of Agriculture being composed of inhabitants cultivating the soil, and interested in the preservation of order in rural economy, each of the members is bound, when he can do so without essentially neglecting his own labour, to inquire into all that passes in the section to which he belongs, in order to report the same to the Council of Notables.

Art. 169.—The duties of the Councils of Agriculture are,

1. To see that the provisions of the laws relating to tillage are not curtailed in their execution:

2. To endeavour by new experiments, and by the maintenance of concord among all those interested in tillage, to increase progressively its results:

3. To report to the Council of Notables, and to the military authorities, every abuse or neglect which may occur in the section in which they dwell.

Art. 170.—The members of the Council of Agriculture correspond, individually or collectively, with the functionaries or authorities with whom it is their duty to communicate.

Art. 171.—The appointment of a member of the Council of Agriculture is honorary.

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Of Rural Police.

Art. 172.—The rural police is to be specially maintained by officers appointed to command each rural section of the commune, assisted by guards.

Art. 173.—The objects of the rural police are,

1st. The repression of vagrancy:

2d. The enforcing of order and assiduity in field-labour:

3d. The discipline of the gangs of labourers:

4th. The making and keeping in repair of public and private roads.

CHAP. I.

The repression of Vagrancy.

Art. 174.—All persons who are not proprietors, or renters of the land on which they are residing, or who shall not have made a contract to work with some proprietor or principal renter, shall be looked upon as vagrants, and shall be arrested by

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by the rural police of the section in which they may be found, and carried before the justice of peace of the commune.

Art. 175.—The justice of peace, after interrogating and hearing the person brought before him, shall make known to him the articles of the law, which oblige him to employ himself in agricultural labour: and, after that communication, shall remand him to prison, until he shall have bound himself by a contract, according to the provisions of the law.

Art. 176.—The justice of peace shall take care that the person arrested contracts to labour with a proprietor, a principal renter, or occupier, or with a chief of the Agricultural Society, at his own choice.

Art. 177.—If after eight days of detention the prisoner shall not have taken measures to bind himself to field labour, he shall be sent to the public works, for cleaning the town or district where he may be arrested, and shall be there employed until he shall consent to bind himself to field labour. Any person who removes any labourer from the public works to employ him in private work, shall be subject to a fine of fifty dollars, of which a moiety is to be paid to the prisoner complaining.

Art. 178.—If the prisoner be a child under age, the justice of peace shall inquire out his parents, and send him to them, to follow their condition of life.

Art. 179.—After the expiration of three months from the publication of this Code, rigorous measures shall be enforced against delinquents.

Art. 180.—Every person attached to the country as a cultivator, who shall on a working day, and during the hours of labour, be found unemployed or lounging on the public roads, shall be considered idle, and be arrested and taken before the justice of peace, who shall commit him to prison for twenty-four hours for the first offence; and shall, upon a repetition of the offence, send him to labour on the public works.

Art. 181.—The officers of the rural police shall take care that vagabonds and idlers do not conceal themselves under the uniforms of soldiers of the different corps: when they discover, in the sections under their superintendence, men whom they do not personally know to be in active service in the corps whose uniforms they wear, they shall arrest them, and send them before the military commandant of the commune, that inquiry may be made if the individual arrested really belongs to the corps whose uniform he wears. If the party prove not to be a soldier, he shall be committed to prison, according to article 175, until he enter into a contract to labour in agriculture.

Art. 182.—The officers of the rural police shall take care that in their respective sections no person shall live in idleness: for this purpose they have authority to oblige such persons as are not actually employed in labour to give an account of their occupations; and such persons as cannot prove that they cultivate the soil, or are keepers of cattle-pens, shall be considered as without visible means of procuring their livelihood, and shall be arrested as vagabonds.

CHAP. II.

Of the insuring of Order and Assiduity in Field Labour.

Art. 183.—Field labour shall commence on Monday morning and continue until Friday evening (legal holidays excepted); and in extraordinary cases, when the interests of the cultivator or of the proprietor require it, work shall be continued until Saturday evening.

Art. 184.—On working days the ordinary field labour shall commence at day-break, to continue until mid-day, with the interval of half an hour for breakfast, which shall be taken on the spot where the work is carrying on; after mid-day the field labour shall commence at two o'clock and continue until sun-set.

Art. 185.—Pregnant females shall be employed on light work only; and after the fourth month of pregnancy they shall not be obliged to work in the field.

Art. 186.—Four months after their delivery they shall be obliged to resume labour in the field; but they shall not commence work until one hour after sun-rise: they shall continue to work until eleven o'clock, and from two o'clock until one hour before sun-set.

Art. 187.—No labourer attached to an estate in the country shall absent himself

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from the labour assigned to him without the permission of the overseer, in the absence of the proprietor or farmer; and he shall not give that permission unless the case be urgent.

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CHAP. III.

Of the Discipline of the Gangs of Labourers.

Art. 188.—Gangs of labourers upon estates shall be obedient to their drivers, jobbers, sub-farmers, farmers, proprietors and managers or overseers, whenever they are called upon to execute the labour they have bound themselves to perform.

Art. 189.—Every act of disobedience or insult on the part of a workman, commanded to do any work to which he is subjected, shall be punished by imprisonment, according to the exigency of the case, at the discretion of the justice of peace of the commune.

Art. 190.—Saturdays and Sundays and holidays being at the disposal of the labourers, they shall not on working days abandon their work, to indulge in dancing or feasting, either by day or by night. Such delinquents shall be subject to imprisonment for three days for the first offence, and for six days, in case of a repetition of the offence.

CHAP. IV.

On the Making and keeping in Repair of the Public and Private Roads.

Art. 191.—The public roads shall be kept up and repaired by the cultivators (*agriculteurs*) in rotation, of the whole section through which the roads pass, whenever their state of deterioration may require repair. The private roads shall also be repaired by such of the cultivators of the establishments of the section as are in the habit of using the said roads.

Art. 192.—Whenever a public or private road requires repair, the officer of rural police shall give notice of it to the commandant of the commune.

Art. 193.—If the repairs required be local, or of trivial importance, the commandant of the commune shall order them to be done. But if the work require many hands, in order to be promptly executed, he shall give notice thereof to the commandant of the district. The Council of Agriculture shall inform the Council of Notables of the work to be done.

Art. 194.—The number of labourers required for any particular work upon the roads, shall be taken from the plantation rolls ordered by article 132, in numbers proportioned to the labouring population of each plantation, all of whom are bound to assist in the work.

Art. 195.—Those proprietors who have not four labourers attached to their estate, shall in no case be called upon to furnish more than one labourer for repairs upon the roads.

Art. 196.—Every labourer ordered to work on the roads who shall absent himself from that work, shall pay a fine of six quarter dollars a week, or suffer imprisonment for one week; which fine or imprisonment shall not exempt him from working the week following.

Art. 197.—Any proprietor, farmer or overseer of a plantation who, having received a requisition for labourers, shall neglect to furnish them, shall be liable to a fine of three dollars per week for each labourer short of the number; half the fine to be paid to the treasury of fines, and half to be employed in hiring other labourers.

Art. 198.—Labourers called out for repairing the roads shall bring with them the agricultural instruments and tools used on the plantation, in default of which the officer commanding the rural police shall give them tools, to be supplied by the administration; and upon a report of the same being made to a justice of peace for the commune, he shall adjudge the proprietor of the plantation to which the defaulters may belong, or his representative, to reimburse the administration in double the value of the tools so furnished.

Art. 199.—When means of transport are required for the repair of public or private roads, such estates as possess wains or carts shall send them; in default of wains or carts, cattle for draught shall be supplied.

Art. 200.—Eight beasts of burden supplied shall be equal to one cart and team.

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Art. 201.—No person shall for his private interests take from the repair of the roads those who are sent to work upon them, under a penalty of fifty dollars for each labourer so withdrawn, if even for one day only. The director of the work shall call over the names of the labourers every morning to ascertain their presence.

Art. 202.—Labourers ordered to work on the public roads shall present themselves early on Monday morning, and shall not absent themselves, unless the work be finished, until Friday evening.

Passed in the Chamber of Commons at Port-au-Prince, the 21st of April 1826, Twenty-third year of Independence.

Muzaine,
President.

Pre. *Junca and Ardouin,*
Secretaries.

THE Senate decrees the adoption of the Rural Code of Haïti, and orders it to be sent within twenty-four hours to the President of Haïti, to be confirmed and carried into execution, in the manner directed by the Constitution.

At the National House at Port-au-Prince, this 4th day of May 1826, Twenty-third year of Independence.

P. Rouanez.
President of the Senate.

Gayoh and F. Dubreuil,
Secretaries.

In the Name of the Republic,

The President of Haïti orders that the above laws, constituting the Rural Code of Haïti, be sealed with the seal of the Republic, and be published and executed.

From the National Palace at Port-au-Prince, this 6th day of May 1826, Twenty-third year of Independence,

BOYER,
By the President.

B. Inginac,
Secretary General.

HAÏTI.

COPY OF THE CODE RURAL OF HAÏTI:

July 1826.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
25 *May* 1827.

FOREIGN GRAIN.

RETURN to an Order of The Honourable House of Commons, dated the 9th February 1827;—*for*

—(1.)—

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of Foreign Grain, Meal and Flour, Warehoused in the United Kingdom, under 55 Geo. 3. c. 26, upon 5th January 1826, and the Quantities of each kind at each Port.

—(2.)—

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of Foreign Grain, Meal and Flour, Imported into the United Kingdom, between 5th January 1826 and 5th January 1827, and the Quantities of each kind into each Port.

—(3.)—

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of Foreign Grain, Meal and Flour, in the preceding Accounts, added together.

—(4.) and (5.)—

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of Foreign Grain, Meal and Flour, that have been admitted into Home Consumption in the United Kingdom, with the Total Duty received thereon, and the Rate of Duty, between 5th January 1826 and 5th January 1827; the Quantities of each kind from each Port;—and (5.) showing the Total Quantity of the different kinds remaining Warehoused on 5th January 1827, and the Quantities of each kind at each Port.

Ordered by The House of Commons, *to be Printed*,
16 *March* 1827.

(1.)—AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of FOREIGN GRAIN, and the Quantities of

QUANTITIES REMAINING IN WAREHOUSE,

NAMES of the PORTS.	BARLEY.		BEANS.		INDIAN CORN.		OATS.		PEASE.	
	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.
Ports of England:										
London	73,130	4	3,353	—			104,122	5	1,426	2
Rochester	—		—		—		—		—	
Faversham	—		—		—		—		—	
Ramsgate	—		—		—		—		—	
Dover	—		—		—		626	6	—	
Rye	—		—		—		487	—	—	
Newhaven	—		—		—		—		—	
Shoreham	—		—		—		—		—	
Arundel	—		—		—		—		—	
Chichester	—		—		—		—		—	
Portsmouth	—		—		—		—		—	
Southampton	—		906	3	—		265	—	—	
Poole	—		—		—		—		—	
Weymouth	—		—		—		—		—	
Lyme	—		—		—		—		—	
Exeter	—		—		—		—		—	
Dartmouth	—		—		—		—		—	
Plymouth	—		—		—		972	3	—	
Fowey	—		—		—		—		—	
Falmouth	—		—		—		189	7	—	
Penzance	—		—		—		—		—	
Bridgwater	—		—		—		—		—	
Bristol	32	1	59	1	—		414	1	4	6
Cardiff	—		—		—		—		—	
Llanelly	—		—		—		—		—	
Beaumaris	—		—		—		—		—	
Liverpool	8,452	6	5,501	6	—		8,664	3	531	1
Whitehaven	—		—		—		—		17	1
Berwick	—		—		—		—		—	
Newcastle	9,329	7	—		—		3,658	3	—	
Sunderland	—		—		—		61	7	—	
Stockton	—		—		—		—		—	
Scarborough	—		—		—		—		—	
Bridlington	—		—		—		—		—	
Hull	36,621	1	1,309	2	—		53,669	3	—	
Grimsby	4,863	6	—		—		4,779	2	—	5
Boston	90	1	—		—		1,795	6	—	
Lynn	11	6	—		—		2,937	1	—	
Wells	—		—		—		—		—	
Clay	1,431	2	—		—		—		—	
Yarmouth	—		—		—		2,146	4	—	
Ipswich	—		—		—		385	—	—	
Harwich	—		—		—		—		—	
Colchester	4,767	3	—		—		—		—	
Maldon	—		—		—		—		—	
Ports of Scotland:										
Aberdeen	925	1	—		—		—		—	
Alloa	—		—		—		—		—	
Banff	—		—		—		—		—	
Borrowstoness	2,649	2	—		—		—		—	
Dunbar	2,078	6	—		—		—		—	
Dundee	—		—		—		—		—	
Glasgow	834	4	—		—		—		—	
Grangemouth	2,551	3	—		—		—		—	
Greenock	—		—		—		—		—	
Irvine	—		—		—		—		—	
Kirkaldy	—		—		—		284	—	—	
Leith	22,657	3	—		—		11,142	2	466	4
Montrose	—		—		—		—		—	
Perth	—		—		—		—		—	
Prestonpans	1,506	1	—		—		—		—	
Ports of Ireland:										
Dublin	—		—		—		—		—	
Belfast	—		—		—		—		—	
Coleraine	—		—		—		—		—	
Drogheda	—		—		—		—		—	
Dundalk	—		—		—		—		—	
Londonderry	—		—		—		—		—	
Sligo	—		—		—		—		—	
Wexford	—		—		—		—		—	
TOTAL	171,933	1	11,129	4			196,541	5	2,446	3

MEAL and FLOUR, Warehoused, in the United Kingdom, under 55 Geo. 3. c. 26. upon 5th January 1826; each kind at each Port.

FIFTH JANUARY 1826.

RYE.		WHEAT.		TOTAL OF GRAIN.		OATMEAL.			WHEAT FLOUR.			INDIAN MEAL.			TOTAL OF MEAL & FLOUR.		
Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*
617	5	125,466	–	308,116	–	20	–	11	18,083	1	27	–	–	–	18,103	2	10
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–	–	–	91	–		578	–		—			—			—		
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–	–	–	3,819	5		4,329	6		–	–	–	1,084	2	–	1,084	2	–
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2,500	3	5,046	6	20,535	3	–	–	–	86	–	20	–	–	–	86	–	20
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–	–	–	617	2		617	2		—			—			—		
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–	–	–	767	4		767	4		—			—			—		
419	5	25,951	6	117,971	1	—			—			—			—		
–	–	–	211	5		9,855	2		—			—			—		
1,010	2	2,012	3	4,818	4	—			—			—			—		
–	–	–	6,477	2		9,426	1		—			—			—		
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–	–	–	4,134	6		6,281	2		—			—			—		
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–	–	–	1,631	5		2,466	1		—			—			—		
–	–	–	1,725	7		4,277	2		—			—			—		
–	–	–	83	1		83	1		–	–	–	16	1	22	–	–	–
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–	–	–	6,829	2		41,095	3		—			—			—		
–	–	–	512	5		512	5		—			—			—		
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9	5	194	–	203	5	—			—			—			—		
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4,557	4	274,771	3	661,349	4	20	–	11	85,501	1	16	–	–	–	85,521	1	27

(2.)—AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of FOREIGN GRAIN, MEAL and the Quantities of each

QUANTITIES IMPORTED BETWEEN

NAMES of the PORTS.	BARLEY.		BEANS.		INDIAN CORN.		OATS.		PEASE.	
	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.
Ports of England:										
London	98,607	6	49,744	4	136	–	671,449	1	39,490	5
Rochester	433	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Faversham	-	-	337	5	-	-	622	2	3	–
Ramsgate	-	-	215	5	-	-	49	–	40	–
Dover	587	2	211	5	-	-	3,247	3	77	3
Rye	305	6	–	4	-	-	1,366	4	10	–
Newhaven	-	-	805	–	-	-	3,188	6	-	-
Shoreham	17	–	135	4	-	-	1,405	6	178	2
Arundel	-	-	-	-	-	-	443	4	-	-
Chichester	-	-	-	-	-	-	571	2	-	-
Portsmouth	1,161	3	33	6	-	-	3,472	–	–	1
Southampton	1,954	6	6,088	2	144	2	28,099	1	1,026	5
Poole	14	4	-	-	-	-	7	4	16	4
Weymouth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lyme	-	-	33	–	-	-	212	5	-	-
Exeter	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,212	–	7	4
Dartmouth	-	-	275	4	-	-	388	1	-	-
Plymouth	-	-	1,220	4	167	–	12,004	4	-	-
Fowey	-	-	-	-	-	-	128	2	-	-
Falmouth	—		—		—		—		—	
Penzance	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	4	-	-
Bridgwater	—		—		—		—		—	
Bristol	5,986	4	7,606	4	983	3	18,698	5	160	7
Chepstow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cardiff	-	-	-	-	-	-	403	7	-	-
Llanelly	3	1	-	-	-	-	278	4	-	-
Beaumaris	—		—		—		—		—	
Liverpool	17,788	6	22,800	7	4,936	–	49,366	2	4,487	6
Whitehaven	472	–	-	-	-	-	6	–	-	-
Berwick	105	1	-	-	-	-	2,682	4	-	-
Newcastle	16,907	1	301	3	-	-	22,224	6	1,879	1
Sunderland	-	-	158	4	-	-	4,830	6	-	-
Stockton	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,734	–	-	-
Scarborough	591	2	-	-	-	-	297	2	-	-
Bridlington	377	–	-	-	-	-	608	5	-	-
Hull	71,388	6	24,488	6	-	-	137,848	1	8,227	5
Grimsby	2,745	4	2,060	1	-	-	4,043	3	472	1
Boston	431	7	817	5	-	-	8,413	3	495	–
Lynn	5,281	2	139	1	-	-	23,619	6	21	5
Wells	-	-	213	6	-	-	638	5	29	–
Clay	—		—		—		—		—	
Yarmouth	-	-	207	3	-	-	5,110	1	334	6
Ipswich	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,835	–	-	-
Harwich	4,558	1	1	4	-	-	14	2	-	-
Colchester	2,417	4	236	–	-	-	1,298	4	227	3
Maldon	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,048	–	-	-
Ports of Scotland:										
Aberdeen	1,612	6	-	-	-	-	2,188	6	101	–
Alloa	120	–	-	-	-	-	528	3	71	1
Banff	735	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Borrowstoness	1,340	4	224	–	-	-	713	–	-	-
Dunbar	2,233	5	-	-	-	-	435	–	-	-
Dundee	1,354	3	-	-	-	-	22,567	4	295	7
Glasgow	-	-	1,772	7	-	-	3,586	7	217	6
Grangemouth	3,216	2	-	-	-	-	10,968	5	898	4
Greenock	-	-	992	7	-	-	936	4	1,025	–
Irvine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kirkaldy	2,136	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leith	31,178	7	2,536	4	-	-	43,686	5	4,149	6
Montrose	568	6	40	–	-	-	14,395	3	817	6
Perth	1,751	–	20	–	-	-	9,858	1	-	-
Prestonpans	1,196	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ports of Ireland:										
Dublin	-	-	8	–	-	-	290	–	-	-
Belfast	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	4	58	4
Coleraine	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	4	-	-
Drogheda	-	-	-	-	-	-	225	4	-	-
Dundalk	-	-	-	-	-	-	171	–	-	-
Londonderry	-	-	-	-	-	-	165	–	-	-
Sligo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wexford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	279,579	5	123,727	1	6,366	5	1,124,868	5	64,820	4

and FLOUR, Imported into the United Kingdom, between 5th January 1826 and 5th January 1827, kind into each Port.

FIFTH JANUARY 1826 AND FIFTH JANUARY 1827.

RYE.		WHEAT.		TOTAL OF GRAIN.		OATMEAL.			WHEAT FLOUR.			INDIAN MEAL.			TOTAL OF MEAL & FLOUR.		
Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*
22,860	7	239,399	–	1,121,687	7	92	2	8	2,693	1	9	-	-	-	2,785	3	17
-	-	-	-	433	6	—			—			—			—		
1	–	-	-	963	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	304	5	—			—			—			—		
88	6	-	-	4,212	3	—			—			—			—		
3	–	768	1	2,453	7	—			—			—			—		
590	–	-	-	4,583	6	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,736	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	443	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	571	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	4,667	2	-	-	-	-	3	–	-	-	-	-	3	–
280	4	-	-	37,593	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	38	4	-	-	-	436	–	2	-	-	-	436	–	2
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	–	-	-	-	1	3	–
-	-	-	-	245	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,219	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	663	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	869	3	14,261	3	-	-	-	132	–	25	-	-	-	132	–	25
-	-	-	-	128	2	—			—			—			—		
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-	-	-	-	140	4	—			—			—			—		
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2,665	6	6,008	1	42,109	6	-	-	-	261	1	25	-	-	-	261	1	25
-	-	698	6	698	6	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	403	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	281	5	—			—			—			—		
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7,948	–	148,876	1	256,203	6	66	3	8	67,051	2	18	6	3	10	67,125	1	8
9	–	1,293	5	1,780	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	468	6	3,256	3	—			—			—			—		
17,567	5	13,765	6	72,645	6	—			—			—			—		
-	-	8	5	4,997	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	2,734	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	888	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	985	5	—			—			—			—		
7,107	6	50,011	–	299,072	–	-	-	-	1,949	–	5	-	-	-	1,949	–	5
893	6	6,187	1	16,402	–	—			—			—			—		
1,067	–	4,223	1	15,448	–	—			—			—			—		
70	7	3,979	2	33,111	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	633	4	1,514	7	—			—			—			—		
—		—		—		—			—			—			—		
-	-	2,240	1	7,892	3	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,835	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	4,573	7	—			—			—			—		
214	4	-	-	4,393	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,048	–	—			—			—			—		
-	4	889	4	4,792	4	-	-	-	5	1	–	-	-	-	5	1	–
-	-	-	-	719	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	735	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	2,274	4	4,552	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	267	4	2,936	1	—			—			—			—		
1,108	2	1,522	2	26,848	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	6,938	6	12,516	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	10,247	2	25,330	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	10,815	7	13,770	2	-	-	-	724	2	26	-	-	-	724	2	26
-	-	600	–	600	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	2,136	4	—			—			—			—		
5,290	1	41,590	1	128,432	–	500	–	–	-		-	-	-	-	500	–	–
-	-	1,571	2	17,393	1	—			—			—			—		
120	–	4,047	5	15,796	6	—			—			—			—		
-	-	1,150	4	2,346	4	—			—			—			—		
9	5	137	–	444	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	159	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	43	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	1,513	5	1,739	1	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	171	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	12	–	177	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	140	–	140	–	—			—			—			—		
-	-	68	–	68	–	—			—			—			—		
67,896	7	363,216	1	2,230,475	4	659	1	16	73,256	–	26	6	3	10	73,922	1	24

(3.)—AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of FOREIGN GRAIN,

THE QUANTITIES CONTAINED IN THE TWO

NAMES of the PORTS.	BARLEY.		BEANS.		INDIAN CORN.		OATS.		PEASE.	
	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.
Ports of England:										
London	171,738	2	53,097	4	136	–	775,571	6	40,916	7
Rochester	433	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Faversham	-	-	337	5	-	-	622	2	3	–
Ramsgate	-	-	215	5	-	-	49	–	40	–
Dover	587	2	211	5	-	-	3,874	1	77	3
Rye	305	6	–	4	-	-	1,853	4	10	–
Newhaven	-	-	805	–	-	-	3,188	6	-	-
Shoreham	17	–	135	4	-	-	1,405	6	178	2
Arundel	-	-	-	-	-	-	443	4	-	-
Chichester	-	-	-	-	-	-	571	2	-	-
Portsmouth	1,161	3	33	6	-	-	3,472	–	–	1
Southampton	1,954	6	6,994	5	144	2	28,364	1	1,026	5
Poole	14	4	-	-	-	-	7	4	16	4
Weymouth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lyme	-	-	33	–	-	-	212	5	-	-
Exeter	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,212	–	7	4
Dartmouth	-	-	275	4	-	-	388	1	-	-
Plymouth	-	-	1,220	4	167	–	12,976	7	-	-
Fowey	-	-	-	-	-	-	128	2	-	-
Falmouth	-	-	-	-	-	-	189	7	-	-
Penzance	-	-	-	-	-	-	140	4	-	-
Bridgwater	—		—		—		—		—	
Bristol	6,018	5	7,665	5	983	3	19,112	6	165	5
Chepstow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cardiff	-	-	-	-	-	-	403	7	-	-
Llanelly	3	1	-	-	-	-	278	4	-	-
Beaumaris	—		—		—		—		—	
Liverpool	26,241	4	28,302	5	4,936	–	58,030	5	5,018	7
Whitehaven	472	–	-	-	-	-	6	–	17	1
Berwick	105	1	-	-	-	-	2,682	4	-	-
Newcastle	26,237	–	301	3	-	-	25,883	1	1,879	1
Sunderland	-	-	158	4	-	-	4,892	5	-	-
Stockton	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,734	–	-	-
Scarborough	591	2	-	-	-	-	297	2	-	-
Bridlington	377	–	-	-	-	-	608	5	-	-
Hull	108,009	7	25,798	–	-	-	191,517	4	8,227	5
Grimsby	7,609	2	2,060	1	-	-	8,822	5	472	6
Boston	522	–	817	5	-	-	10,119	1	495	–
Lynn	5,293	–	139	1	-	-	26,556	7	21	5
Wells	-	-	213	6	-	-	638	5	29	–
Clay	1,431	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yarmouth	-	-	207	3	-	-	7,256	5	334	6
Ipswich	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,220	–	-	-
Harwich	4,558	1	1	4	-	-	14	2	-	-
Colchester	7,184	7	236	–	-	-	1,298	4	227	3
Maldon	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,048	–	-	-
Ports of Scotland:										
Aberdeen	2,537	7	-	-	-	-	2,188	6	101	–
Alloa	120	–	-	-	-	-	528	3	71	1
Banff	735	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Borrowstoness	3,989	6	224	–	-	-	713	–	-	-
Dunbar	4,312	3	-	-	-	-	435	–	-	-
Dundee	1,354	3	-	-	-	-	22,567	4	295	7
Glasgow	834	4	1,772	7	-	-	3,586	7	217	6
Grangemouth	5,767	5	-	-	-	-	10,968	5	898	4
Greenock	-	-	992	7	-	-	936	4	1,025	–
Irvine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kirkaldy	2,136	4	-	-	-	-	284	–	-	-
Leith	53,836	2	2,536	4	-	-	54,828	7	4,616	2
Montrose	568	6	40	–	-	-	14,395	3	817	6
Perth	1,751	–	20	–	-	-	9,858	1	-	-
Prestonpans	2,702	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ports of Ireland:										
Dublin	-	-	8	–	-	-	290	–	-	-
Belfast	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	4	58	4
Coleraine	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	4	-	-
Drogheda	-	-	-	-	-	-	225	4	-	-
Dundalk	-	-	-	-	-	-	171	–	-	-
Londonderry	-	-	-	-	-	-	165	–	-	-
Sligo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wexford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	451,512	6	134,856	5	6,366	5	1,321,380	2	67,266	7

MEAL, and FLOUR, in the preceding Accounts, added together.

PRECEDING ACCOUNTS, ADDED TOGETHER.

RYE.		WHEAT.		TOTAL OF GRAIN.		OATMEAL.			WHEAT FLOUR.			INDIAN MEAL.			TOTAL OF MEAL & FLOUR.		
Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*
23,478	4	364,865	–	1,429,803	7	112	2	19	20,776	3	8	–	–	–	20,889	1	27
–	–	–	–	433	6		—			—			—			—	
	1	–	–	963	7		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	304	5		—			—			—			—	
	88	6	–	4,839	1		—			—			—			—	
	3	–	859	1	3,031	7		—			—			—			—
	590	–	–	–	–	4,583	6		—			—			—			—
–	–	–	–	–	–	1,736	4		—			—			—			—
–	–	–	–	–	–	443	4		—			—			—			—
–	–	–	–	–	–	571	2		—			—			—			—
–	–	–	–	–	–	4,667	2	–	–	–	–	3	–	–	–	–	3	–
	280	4	–	–	–	38,764	7		—			—			—			—
–	–	–	–	–	–	38	4	–	–	–	436	–	2	–	–	–	436	–	2
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	3	–	–	–	–	1	3	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	245	5		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	1,219	4		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	663	5		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	2,665	7	17,030	2	–	–	–	132	–	25	–	–	–	132	–	25	
–	–	–	–	–	–	128	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	271	1	461	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	140	4		—			—			—			—	
	—		—		—			—			—			—			—	
	2,665	6	9,827	6	46,439	4	–	–	–	1,345	3	25	–	–	–	1,345	3	25	
–	–	–	698	6	698	6		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	403	7		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	281	5		—			—			—			—	
	—		—		—			—			—			—			—	
	7,948	–	234,890	4	365,368	1		66	3	8	133,280	2	21		6	3	10	133,354	1	11
	9	–	1,293	5	1,797	6		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	468	6	3,256	3		—			—			—			—	
	20,068	–	18,812	4	93,181	1	–	–	–	86	–	20	–	–	–	86	–	20	
–	–	–	8	5	5,059	6		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	617	2	3,351	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	888	4		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	767	4	1,753	1		—			—			—			—	
	7,527	3	75,962	6	417,043	1	–	–	–	1,949	–	5	–	–	–	1,949	–	5	
	893	6	6,398	6	26,257	2		—			—			—			—	
	2,077	2	6,235	4	20,266	4		—			—			—			—	
	70	7	10,456	4	42,538	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	633	4	1,514	7		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	1,431	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	6,374	7	14,173	5		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	2,220	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	4,573	7		—			—			—			—	
	214	4	–	–	–	9,161	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	922	–	1,970	–		—			—			—			—	
	–	4	889	4	5,717	5	–	–	–	7	–	–	–	–	–	7	–	–	
–	–	–	–	–	–	719	4		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	735	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	2,274	4	7,201	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	267	4	5,014	7		—			—			—			—	
	1,108	2	1,522	2	26,848	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	8,570	3	14,982	3		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	11,973	1	29,607	7		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	10,899	–	13,853	3	–	–	–	741	–	20	–	–	–	741	–	20	
–	–	–	600	–	600	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	2,420	4		—			—			—			—	
	5,290	1	48,419	3	169,527	3		500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	500	–	–
–	–	–	2,083	7	17,905	6		—			—			—			—	
	120	–	4,047	5	15,796	6		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	1,150	4	3,852	5		—			—			—			—	
	19	2	331	–	648	2		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	159	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	43	4		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	1,708	5	1,934	1		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	–	–	–	171	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	12	–	177	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	140	–	140	–		—			—			—			—	
–	–	–	68	–	68	–		—			—			—			—	
72,454	3	837,987	4	2,891,825	–	679	1	27	158,757	2	14	6	3	10	159,443	3	23	

(4 & 5.)—AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantity of the different kinds of FOREIGN GRAIN, Total Duty received thereon, and the rate of Duty, between 5th January 1826 and of the different kinds remaining Warehoused on 5th January 1827, and the Quantities of

QUANTITIES ADMITTED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION,

NAMES of the PORTS.	BARLEY.		BEANS.		INDIAN CORN.		OATS.		PEASE.	
	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.	Qrs.	bus.
Ports of England:										
London	133,780	5	46,687	5	136	–	694,949	4	37,950	3
Rochester	433	6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Faversham	–	–	337	5	–	–	622	2	8	–
Ramsgate	–	–	215	5	–	–	49	–	40	–
Dover	587	2	211	5	–	–	3,874	1	78	–
Rye	233	2	–	4	–	–	1,853	4	10	–
Newhaven	–	–	805	–	–	–	3,188	6	–	–
Shoreham	–	–	135	4	–	–	1,405	6	178	2
Arundel	–	–	–	–	–	–	443	4	–	–
Chichester	–	–	–	–	–	–	571	2	–	–
Portsmouth	400	3	33	6	–	–	3,472	–	–	1
Southampton	236	2	6,957	3	–	–	24,346	2	1,026	5
Poole	14	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	4
Weymouth	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lyme	–	–	33	–	–	–	212	5	–	–
Exeter	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,212	–	7	4
Dartmouth	–	–	275	4	–	–	388	1	–	–
Plymouth	–	–	1,219	6	167	–	12,904	5	–	–
Fowey	–	–	–	–	–	–	128	2	–	–
Falmouth	–	–	–	–	–	–	189	7	–	–
Penzance	–	–	–	–	–	–	140	4	–	–
Bridgwater	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bristol	2,106	3	7,859	6	983	3	16,290	7	163	2
Chepstow	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cardiff	–	–	–	–	–	–	403	7	–	–
Llanelly	3	1	–	–	–	–	278	4	–	–
Beaumaris	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Liverpool	10,509	1	27,603	5	4,936	–	45,972	4	4,127	7
Whitehaven	472	–	–	–	–	–	6	–	–	–
Berwick	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,232	1	–	–
Newcastle	21,641	5	301	3	–	–	19,624	6	1,875	1
Sunderland	–	–	158	4	–	–	4,892	5	–	–
Stockton	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,734	–	–	–
Scarborough	591	2	–	–	–	–	297	2	–	–
Bridlington	377	–	–	–	–	–	608	5	–	–
Hull	79,238	5	25,023	–	–	–	174,085	4	8,134	4
Grimsby	6,733	3	2,062	7	–	–	8,557	–	472	1
Boston	756	7	817	5	–	–	10,108	6	495	–
Lynn	5,015	6	139	1	–	–	25,733	5	21	5
Wells	–	–	213	6	–	–	638	5	29	–
Clay	1,411	–	–	–	–	–	110	–	–	–
Yarmouth	–	–	207	3	–	–	7,316	7	334	6
Ipswich	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,829	4	–	–
Harwich	4,558	1	1	4	–	–	14	2	–	–
Colchester	6,808	4	236	–	–	–	1,298	4	227	3
Maldon	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,029	–	–	–
Ports of Scotland:										
Aberdeen	1,920	3	–	–	–	–	2,188	6	101	–
Alloa	–	–	–	–	–	–	528	3	71	1
Banff	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Borrowstoness	3,989	6	224	–	–	–	713	–	–	–
Dunbar	2,078	6	–	–	–	–	435	–	–	–
Dundee	954	1	–	–	–	–	22,462	4	293	7
Glasgow	834	4	1,772	7	–	–	3,760	5	274	4
Grangemouth	3,696	1	–	–	–	–	7,617	5	841	4
Greenock	–	–	992	7	–	–	936	4	1,025	–
Irvine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kirkaldy	2,136	4	–	–	–	–	284	–	–	–
Leith	41,443	7	2,536	4	–	–	53,680	6	4,581	2
Montrose	–	–	40	–	–	–	11,611	3	403	6
Perth	–	–	20	–	–	–	9,771	5	–	–
Prestonpans	1,888	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ports of Ireland:										
Dublin	–	–	8	–	–	–	290	–	–	–
Belfast	–	–	–	–	–	–	100	4	58	4
Coleraine	–	–	–	–	–	–	43	4	–	–
Drogheda	–	–	–	–	–	–	225	4	–	–
Dundalk	–	–	–	–	–	–	171	–	–	–
Londonderry	–	–	–	–	–	–	165	–	–	–
Sligo	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wexford	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	339,851	5	125,131	5	6,222	3	1,189,000	2	62,850	4

MEAL and FLOUR, that have been admitted into Home Consumption in the United Kingdom, with the 5th January 1827; the Quantities of each kind from each Port; and (5.) showing the Total Quantity each kind at each Port.

BETWEEN FIFTH JANUARY 1826 AND FIFTH JANUARY 1827.

RYE.		WHEAT.		TOTAL OF GRAIN.		OATMEAL.			WHEAT FLOUR.			INDIAN MEAL.			TOTAL OF MEAL & FLOUR.		
Qrs.	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Qrs.*	*bus.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*	*Cwts.*	*qrs.*	*lbs.*
19,574	5	129,270	4	1,062,349	2	70	2	14	8,894	2	20	-	-	-	8,965	1	6
-	-	-	-	433	6	—			—			—			—		
1	-	-	-	963	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	304	5	—			—			—			—		
88	6	-	-	4,839	6	—			—			—			—		
3	-	96	5	2,196	7	—			—			—			—		
590	-	-	-	4,583	6	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,719	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	443	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	571	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	3,906	2	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
280	4	-	-	32,847	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	16	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	1	3	-
-	-	-	-	245	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,219	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	663	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	2,150	2	16,441	5	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-
-	-	-	-	128	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	258	2	448	1	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	140	4	—			—			—			—		
—		—		—		—			—			—			—		
2,665	6	1,748	6	31,820	1	-	-	-	593	2	15	-	-	-	593	2	15
—		—		—		—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	403	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	281	5	—			—			—			—		
—		—		—		—			—			—			—		
7,948	-	95,354	2	196,451	3	66	3	8	53,775	1	4	-	-	-	53,842	-	12
9	-	1,293	5	1,780	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	2,232	1	—			—			—			—		
20,076	5	5,179	-	68,698	4	-	-	-	86	-	20	-	-	-	86	-	20
-	-	-	-	5,051	1	—			—			—			—		
-	-	617	2	3,351	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	888	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	767	4	1,753	1	—			—			—			—		
6,271	5	29,608	3	322,361	5	-	-	-	1,949	-	5	-	-	-	1,949	-	5
893	6	197	2	18,916	3	—			—			—			—		
2,043	2	2,648	7	16,870	3	—			—			—			—		
70	7	7,097	4	38,078	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	633	4	1,514	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,521	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	3,864	3	11,723	3	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,829	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	4,573	7	—			—			—			—		
214	4	-	-	8,784	7	—			—			—			—		
-	-	895	4	1,924	4	—			—			—			—		
-	4	30	-	4,240	5	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-
-	-	-	-	599	4	—			—			—			—		
—		-	-	-	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	4,926	6	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	2,513	6	—			—			—			—		
1,108	2	10	6	24,831	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	1,582	7	8,225	3	—			—			—			—		
-	-	1,723	1	13,878	3	—			—			—			—		
-	-	10,815	7	13,770	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	600	-	600	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	2,420	4	—			—			—			—		
5,290	1	7,583	-	115,115	4	500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	500	-	-
-	-	512	5	12,567	6	—			—			—			—		
120	-	-	-	9,911	5	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	1,888	7	—			—			—			—		
19	2	331	-	648	2	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	159	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	43	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	195	-	420	4	—			—			—			—		
-	-	-	-	171	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	12	-	177	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	140	-	140	-	—			—			—			—		
-	-	68	-	68	-	—			—			—			—		
67,269	3	305,285	5	2,092,591	3	637	1	22	65,322	1	8	-	-	-	65,959	3	2

(*continued.*)

The preceding Account—continued.

QUANTITIES REMAINING IN

NAMES of the PORTS.	BARLEY.	BEANS.	INDIAN CORN.	OATS.	PEASE.	RYE.	WHEAT.	TOTAL OF GRAIN.
	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.	Qrs. bus.
Ports of England:								
London	34,111 5	5,422 4	- -	74,528 6	1,893 7	3,803 5	226,084 3	345,844 6
Rochester	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Faversham	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ramsgate	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dover	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rye	72 4	- -	- -	-	- -	- -	762 4	835 -
Newhaven	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shoreham	17 -	- -	- -	-	-	- -	- -	17 -
Arundel	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chichester	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Portsmouth	761 -	- -	- -	-	- -	- -	- -	761 -
Southampton	1,718 4	- -	144 2	4,017 7	- -	- -	712 5	6,593 2
Poole	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Weymouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lyme	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Exeter	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dartmouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plymouth	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	464 7	464 7
Fowey	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Falmouth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Penzance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bridgwater	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bristol	3,889 2	- -	- -	1,739 -	- -	- -	7,908 2	13,536 4
Chepstow	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	698 6	698 6
Cardiff	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Llanelly	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beaumaris	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liverpool	14,976 4	401 4	- -	9,478 1	628 -	- -	132,301 5	157,785 6
Whitehaven	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berwick	225 6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	468 6	694 4
Newcastle	3,724 1	- -	- -	5,445 4	- -	- -	13,618 1	22,787 6
Sunderland	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	8 5	8 5
Stockton	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Scarborough	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bridlington	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hull	26,936 7	271 -	- -	17,509 5	51 3	1,061 7	49,887 3	95,718 1
Grimsby	645 3	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	6,187 6	6,833 1
Boston	431 7	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	3,525 5	3,957 4
Lynn	278 -	- -	- -	587 6	- -	- -	3,179 6	4,045 4
Wells	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clay	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yarmouth	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2,240 1	2,240 1
Ipswich	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harwich	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Colchester	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maldon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ports of Scotland:								
Aberdeen	617 4	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	859 4	1,477 -
Alloa	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Banff	735 -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	735 -
Borrowstoness	256 6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2,274 4	2,531 2
Dunbar	2,233 5	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	267 4	2,501 1
Dundee	400 2	- -	- -	105 -	- -	- -	1,511 4	2,016 6
Glasgow	692 4	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	9,779 6	10,472 2
Grangemouth	1,048 1	- -	- -	3,144 4	- 2	- -	7,348 1	11,541 -
Greenock	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	83 1	83 1
Irvine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kirkaldy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leith	12,180 3	- -	- -	977 5	- -	- -	40,409 1	53,567 1
Montrose	463 6	- -	- -	2,784 -	414 -	- -	1,571 2	5,233 -
Perth	1,751 -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	4,047 5	5,798 5
Prestonpans	793 6	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1,150 4	1,944 2
Ports of Ireland:								
Dublin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Belfast	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coleraine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drogheda	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1,513 5	1,513 5
Dundalk	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Londonderry	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sligo	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wexford	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL	108,961 -	6,095 -	144 2	120,317 6	2,987 4	4,865 4	518,865 2	762,236 2

The preceding Account—*continued.*

WAREHOUSE 5th JANUARY 1827.

OATMEAL.	WHEAT-FLOUR.	INDIAN MEAL.	TOTAL OF MEAL AND FLOUR.
Cwts. qrs. lbs.	*Cwts. qrs. lbs.*	*Cwts. qrs. lbs.*	*Cwts. qrs. lbs.*
- - -	3,056 3 5	- - -	3,056 3 5
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ACCOUNTS

Of Foreign Grain, Meal and Flour, warehoused; of Ditto imported, and that have been admitted into Home Consumption.

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GRAIN (FOREIGN COUNTRIES.)

SUPPLEMENTARY PAPERS

RELATIVE TO THE

Regulations existing in Foreign Countries, in respect of the Export and Import of Grain,

DURING THE LAST FIFTY YEARS:

VIZ.

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Board of Trade, 12th April 1827. *Thomas Lack.*

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—N° 1.—

Hamilton Hamilton, Esq. to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Paris, 2d March 1827.

VISCOUNT Granville, in his despatch of the 2d of February of this year, transmitted home a voluminous Report, relating to the Corn Laws of this country; and, as a Supplement to the same, I have now the honour to enclose a copy and translation of a Decree which was published by the Government yesterday, regulating the rate to be paid on the exportation and importation of Corn, from the 28th February ult.

have, &c.

(signed) *Hamilton Hamilton.*

The Right Hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 1.

TABLEAU DES PRIX DES GRAINS, pour servir de Régulateur de l'Exportation et de l'Importation, conformément aux lois des 16 Juillet 1819 et 4 Juillet 1821, arrêté le 28 Fevrier 1827.

SECTIONS.	DÉPARTEMENS.	MARCHÉS.	Prix moyen de hectolitre de Froment.		Seigle.		Maïs.		Avoine.	
	1re CLASSE.		*f.*		*f.*		*f.*		*f.*	
Limite	de l'exportation des grains et farines		26							
Limite	de l'importation du froment	au dessous de	24							
Limite	de l'importation du seigle et du maïs	idem	16							
Limite	de l'importation de l'avoine	idem	9							
Unique	Pyrénées Orientales, Aude, Hérault, Gard, Bouches du Rhône, Var, Corse	Toulouse, Fleurance, Marseilles, Gray	17	21	11	07	9	60	8	50
	2e CLASSE.		*f.*							
Limite	de l'exportation des grains et farines		24							
Limite	de l'importation du froment	au dessous de	22							
Limite	de l'importation du seigle et du maïs	idem	14							
Limite	de l'importation de l'avoine	idem	8							
1re.	Gironde, Landes, Basses Pyrénées, Hautes Pyrénées, Ariége, Haute Garonne	Marans, Bordeaux, Toulouse	16	25	11	50	9	22	9	14
2e.	Jura, Doubs, Ain, Isère, Basses Alpes, Hautes Alpes	Gray, Saint Laurent, Le Grand Lemps	16	91	9	67	9	43	6	89
	3e CLASSE.		*f.*							
Limite	de l'exportation des grains et farines		22							
Limite	de l'importation du froment	au dessous de	20							
Limite	de l'importation du seigle et du maïs	idem	12							
Limite	de l'importation de l'avoine	idem	8							
1re.	Haut Rhin, Bas Rhin	Mulhausen, Strasbourg	18	58	11	48	-	-	7	23
2e.	Nord, Pas de Calais, Somme, Seine Inférieure, Eure, Calvados	Bergues, Arras, Roye, Soissons, Paris, Rouen	16	17	10	08	-	-	7	29
3e.	Loire Inférieure, Vendée, Charente Inférieure	Saumur, Nantes, Marans	15	29	10	21	-	-	9	27
	4e CLASSE.		*f.*							
Limite	de l'exportation des grains et farines		20							
Limite	de l'importation du froment	au dessous de	18							
Limite	de l'importation du seigle et du maïs	idem	10							
Limite	de l'importation de l'avoine	idem	7							
1re.	Moselle, Meuse, Ardennes, Aisne	Metz, Verdun, Charleville, Soissons	13	98	8	47	-	-	6	10
2e.	Manche, Ille et Vilaine, Côtes du Nord, Finistère, Morbihan	Saint Lô, Paimpol, Quimper, Hennebon, Nantes	16	57	10	37	-	-	8	20

Arrêté par nous, Ministre Secrétaire d'Etat au Département de l'Interieur.
A Paris, le 28 Février 1827.

Le Ministre Secrétaire d'Etat au Département de l'Interieur.

Corbière.

Enclosure in N° 1.

(Translation.)

SECTIONS.	DEPARTMENTS.	MARKETS.	Current price of the hectolitre of Wheat.		Rye.		Maize.		Oats.	
	1st CLASS.		*f.*	*c.*	*f.*	*c.*	*f.*	*c.*	*f.*	*c.*
Limit	to the exportation of grain and flour - - 26									
	to the importation of wheat - when below 24									
	to the importation of rye and maize - d° - 16									
	to the importation of oats - - - - d° - 9									
Unique	Pyrénées Orientales -	Toulouse - -	17	21	11	07	9	60	8	50
	Aude - - -	Fleurance - -								
	Herault - - -	Marseilles - -								
	Gard - - -	Gray - - -								
	Bouches du Rhône -									
	Var - - - -									
	Corse - - -									
	2d CLASS.		*f.*							
Limit	to the exportation of grain and flour - - 24									
	to the importation of wheat - when below 22									
	to the importation of rye and maize - d° - 14									
	to the importation of oats - - - - d° - 8									
1st.	Gironde - - -	Marans - -	16	25	11	50	9	22	9	14
	Landes - - -	Bordeaux - -								
	Basses Pyrénées -	Toulouse - -								
	Hautes Pyrénées -									
	Ariége - - -									
	Haute Garonne -									
2d.	Jura - - -	Gray - - -	16	91	9	67	9	43	6	89
	Doubs - - -	Saint Laurent -								
	Ain - - -	Le Grand Lemps								
	Isère - - -									
	Basses Alpes - -									
	Hautes Alpes - -									
	3d CLASS.		*f.*							
Limit	to the exportation of grain and flour - - 22									
	to the importation of wheat - when below 20									
	to the importation of rye and maize - d° - 12									
	to the importation of oats - - - - d° - 8									
1st.	Haut Rhin - -	Mulhausen - -	18	58	11	48	-	-	7	23
	Bas Rhin - - -	Strasbourg - -								
2d.	Nord - - - -	Bergues - -	16	17	10	08	-	-	7	29
	Pas de Calais - -	Arras - - -								
	Somme - - -	Roye - - -								
	Seine Inférieure - -	Soissons - -								
	Eure - - - -	Paris - - -								
	Calvados - - -	Rouen - -								
3d.	Loire Inférieure - -	Saumur - -	15	29	10	21	-	-	9	27
	Vendée - - -	Nantes - -								
	Charente Inférieure -	Marans - -								
	4th CLASS.		*f.*							
Limit	to the exportation of grain and flour - - 20									
	to the importation of wheat - when below 18									
	to the importation of rye and maize - d° - 10									
	to the importation of oats - - - - d° - 7									
1st.	Moselle - - -	Metz - - -	13	98	8	47	-	-	6	10
	Meuse - - -	Verdun - - -								
	Ardennes - - -	Charleville - -								
	Aisne - - -	Soissons - -								
2d.	Manche - - -	Saint Lô - -	16	57	10	37	-	-	8	20
	Ille et Villaine - -	Paimpol - -								
	Côtes du Nord - -	Quimper - -								
	Finistère - - -	Hennebon - -								
	Morbihan - - -	Nantes - -								

Ordered by us, Minister Secretary of State for the Department of the Interior.
Paris, 28th February 1827.

Minister Secretary of State for the Department of the Interior,
(signed) *Corbière.*

—N° 2.—

The Right Hon. F. Lamb to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Madrid, 6th March 1827.

WITH reference to my despatch of the 19th of February, I have the honour to forward a statement of the prices of Wheat in the markets of New Castille and La Mancha, from the year 1799 up to July 1826.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *F. Lamb.*

The Right Hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 2.—(Translation.)

PRICES OF WHEAT in New Castille and La Mancha, from 1799 to the present Year.

	Large Fanega.	Common Fanega.
	reals.	*reals.*
1799.		
In March	62	54
In July	58	50
1800.		
In March	56	54
In August	54	50
1801.		
In April	52	50
In September	54	52
1802.		
In March	80	70
In July	76	68
1803.		
In April	84	76
In July	88	80
1804.		
In March	120	98
In August	108	96
1805.		
In April	90	86
In September	70	61
1806.		
In March	46	38
In July	40	34
1807.		
In March	66	54
In August	56	40
1808.		
In February	48	38
In July	40	32
1809.		
In March	42	36
In August	40	32
1810.		
In March	56	48
In September	50	44
1811.		
In February	88	80
In July	84	70
1812.		
In March	300	280
In August	280	268
1813.		
In April	142	134
In July	90	74
1814.		
In March	60	50
In August	58	44
1815.		
In April	86	74
In September	72	60
1816.		
In April	56	48
In July	50	38
1817.		
In March	54	44
In August	48	30
1818.		
In April	40	32
In July	36	28
1819.		
In March	34	26
In August	30	26
1820.		
In April	36	28
In August	30	24
1821.		
In March	40	32
In August	36	28
1822.		
In April	38	30
In August	36	24
1823.		
In March	44	38
In July	40	30
1824.		
In March	68	52
In July	60	46
1825.		
In April	66	60
In August	60	48
1826.		
In March	64	52
In July	60	50

—N° 3.—

The Right Hon. F. Lamb to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Madrid, 11th March 1827.

WITH reference to my despatches of the 21st February and 6th instant, I have now the honour to enclose a Statement of the Average Price of Wheat in the Province of Old Castille, from the year 1799 up to the present period, taken from the markets of Segovia and Palencia. As these may be considered the principal markets for Wheat in Spain, the information contained in this paper may, I trust, be found useful and interesting. Having received it only just before the departure of the courier, there was no time to have the prices reduced to English money.

I have not yet received the promised communication from the Minister of Finance.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Right Hon. George Canning, &c. &c. &c. (signed) *F. Lamb.*

Enclosure in N° 3.—(Translation.)

ACCOUNT OF THE PRICES OF WHEAT in Old Castille, at the periods hereinafter set forth.

	Large Fanega.	Regular Fanega.	Small Fanega.
1799.	*reals vn.*	*reals vn.*	*reals vn.*
In January - -	56	50	48
In April - -	51	48	40
In June - -	43	36	33
In September -	35	32	30
In December -	34	30	27
1800.			
In January - -	34	29	27
In April - -	44	36	34
In July - -	50	42	32
In November -	50	46	44
1801.			
In January - -	53	48	44
In March - -	52	48	44
In June - -	70	58	48
In September -	51	46	43
In December -	65	58	54
1802.			
In February -	66	60	56
In April - -	76	68	64
In July - -	66	60	56
In December -	76	68	64
1803.			
In January - -	76	72	68
In April - -	76	72	68
In June - -	82	74	68
In August - -	100	90	87
In November -	95	88	80
1804.			
In January - -	116	109	106
In April - -	150	130	—
In July - -	160	150	—
In September -	120	110	—
In December -	162	152	146
1805.			
In February -	144	116	—
In April - -	108	100	90
In July - -	85	70	67
In December -	66	60	55
1806.			
In January - -	62	50	48
In March - -	60	42	38
In June - -	53	38	35
In September -	46	36	34
In December -	42	35	32
1807.			
In January - -	44	32	—
In March - -	42	34	29
In June - -	42	34	28
In September -	40	30	—
In December -	40	30	28
1808.			
In January - -	42	34	30
In April - -	42	34	30
In July - -	32	30	24
In September -	30	24	—
In December -	28	26	23
1809.			
In February -	26	24	22
In May - -	25	23	20
In August - -	24	20	18
In December -	26	22	20
1810.			
In January - -	26	24	21
In April - -	29	25	22
In July - -	35	28	25
In October - -	37	33	32
In December -	38	35	29
1811.			
In February -	46	38	36
In May - -	80	68	64
In July - -	110	100	97
In October - -	122	110	106
In December -	150	140	138
1812.			
In January - -	168	158	150
In March - -	220	200	—
In May - -	340	320	300
In August - -	118	109	86
In October - -	133	120	118
In December -	114	108	106

(*continued.*)

(*continued.*)	Large Fanega.	Regular Fanega.	Small Fanega.
	reals vn.	*reals vn.*	*reals vn.*
1813.			
In February -	112	106	100
In April - -	106	94	—
In July - -	60	52	46
In September -	48	40	38
In December -	44	38	28
1814.			
In January - -	46	42	38
In April - -	36	32	30
In June - -	34	30	28
In September -	40	34	32
In December -	42	38	34
1815.			
In March - -	35	31	30
In June - -	52	48	46
In September -	60	52	50
In December -	54	50	—
1816.			
In March - -	66	56	54
In August - -	64	58	50
In October - -	40	36	30
In December -	38	34	28
1817.			
In February -	48	40	30
In April - -	51	44	40
In August - -	34	30	28
In December -	32	28	26
1818.			
In March - -	26	22	18
In July - -	24	18	—
In November -	28	22	20
1819.			
In April - -	27	20	18
In September -	22	20	—
In December -	26	20	18
1820.			
In June - -	24	18	—
In September -	26	20	18
In December -	26	20	18
1821.			
In March - -	20	18	17
In December -	22	18	—
1822.			
In March - -	20	18	—
In August - -	18	—	—
In December -	22	18	—
1823.			
In April - -	19	18	—
In August - -	19	18	—
In November -	22	20	19
1824.			
In March - -	19	17	16
In June - -	46	36	32
In November -	39	33	30
1825.			
In January - -	44	38	34
In April - -	46	40	36
In December -	36	32	28
1826.			
In March - -	36	30	28

Note.—Until the 14th of December of the said year, 1826, it continued at the same price.

—N° 4.—

Mr. Consul General Money to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, Venice, 10th March 1827.

ON the 31st January, I had the honour to acknowledge the receipt, at that date, of your letter of the 15th December last, communicating to me the prayer of an humble address from the House of Lords to His Majesty, and the desire of Mr. Secretary Canning, that I would use my best endeavours to collect and transmit to him, with all convenient speed, the information solicited in that address; viz. a Statement of the Laws relative to the Export and Import of Grain in these States; and also a Statement of the alterations that have taken place in the export and import of grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years, whether by law, by proclamation, or by any other means.

In obedience to these commands, I lost no time in endeavouring to procure the information required; but such is the unconnected and confused state of the public records here, which refer to times antecedent to the permanent establishment of the Austrian dominion, that I have been unable, with every research I could make, to collect at an earlier period the materials for such a statement as would meet the object of the address of the House of Lords.

I therefore hope that Mr. Secretary Canning, should the Statement which I have framed and herewith transmit fall short of his expectations, will impute its defects to the difficulties I have had to encounter, and not to any want of zeal on my part to execute the instructions which I have received.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *W. T. Money.*
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 4.

ANALYSIS of the LAWS, PROCLAMATIONS, DECREES, REGULATIONS and TARIFFS, relative to the IMPORTATION and EXPORTATION of CORN and GRAIN, emanating from the several Governments which have existed in the Venetian Provinces, from the Year 1753 to the Year 1827.

IN the Venetian states, as well under the dominion of the republic as under that of the succeeding governments, the exportation and importation of Corn and Grain have always been regulated by laws either prohibitory or permissive, according to circumstances, or motives of interest influencing the governments from which they have emanated.

Under the Venetian republic all that had relation to this important branch of political economy was confided to a magistracy or board for the regulation of the laws, &c. connected with the importation and exportation of Grain.

To the series of laws, decrees, and proclamations hereinafter chronologically stated, are added the motives of the governments for their enactment.

DATE.	LAWS, DECREES OR PROCLAMATIONS.	CAUSE OR OBJECT.
1753. 4th October.	Law of the senate, prohibiting the introduction of grain, &c. from foreign states, under severe penalties.	To increase the price of Venetian corn.
27th Nov.	Decree of the senate, exempting from duty all grain exported from Venice.	To encourage the commerce of the capital.
1754. 18th July.	Decree of the senate, exempting from duty all national grain exported, and granting a bounty on exportation of the same, till the mean price should rise to 18 Venetian livres per stajo of wheat, and 9 Venetian livres per stajo of Indian corn, about 26*s.* and 3*d.* per Winchester quarter of wheat, and 13*s.* 1½*d.* per ditto of Indian corn.	Further to encourage exportation, on account of great abundance and low prices.
1758. 20th Sept.	Proclamation of the doge, calling into full force the preceding laws prohibiting the introduction of foreign corn and grain into the Venetian territories, under pain of three years in the galleys, and five years close imprisonment.	To suppress smuggling.
1761. 14th Dec.	Decree of the magistracy for corn, prescribing the following duties for the introduction of foreign grain:— *Venet. liv. & soldi.* Wheat and rye - - 5 4 per stajo. Pulse and other grain - 2 12 per - d°. About 7*s.* 7*d.* per quarter of wheat and rye, and 3*s.* 9½*d.* pulse and other grain.	To increase the difficulty of introduction.
1761.	Decree of the magistracy for corn, prohibits the introduction of foreign grain into the provinces of the Terra Firma, under a penalty of the forfeiture of the corn, and severe punishment.	Abundant harvest.
1767. 23d May.	Law of the doge, prohibiting the exportation of grain, under pain of banishment, of the galleys, and imprisonment, at the discretion of the judges; and with a reward of 400 Venetian livres to the informer against the violator of this law, about 8*l.* sterling.	Several years of scarcity.
1st Sept.	Decree of the magistracy for corn, to regulate the supply of Istria, the most sterile of the Venetian provinces, and to prevent grain directed there from being transported to other countries.	To suppress the abuses practised under pretext of supplying Istria.
1768. 26th Sept.	Decree of the magistracy for corn, favours the supply of Istria with national corn.	To remedy the effect of the sterility of Istria.
1769. 4th August.	Decree of the magistracy for corn, recals into vigour the prohibitory laws regarding the introduction of foreign grain.	This year having produced an abundant crop.

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DATE.	LAWS, DECREES OR PROCLAMATIONS.	CAUSE OR OBJECT.
1771. 3d January. 13th Sept. 23d Nov.	Proclamations of the senate, according the free exportation of grain.	Great abundance.
1772. 4th April.	Decree of the senate to suspend the free exportation of grain: offenders to be subject to heavy pains, and granting 50 ducats (about six guineas) reward on information of an infraction of the decree.	Prices having risen above the prescribed limits.
1773. 5th June.	Proclamation of the senate, grants the introduction of foreign corn for a limited time free of duty; that time expired, corn to be subject to an import duty of 4 Venetian livres per stajo, about *5s.* 10*d.* sterling per Winchester quarter.	To provide against a deficient harvest, and promote the interest of the state.
1773 to 1778.	Various laws and decrees, permitting and encouraging the exportation of grain free of duty, and sometimes with bounties.	Successive years of abundance.
1782. $\frac{3}{19}$ August. 4th Sept.	Laws of the doge, prohibiting the exportation of grain, on pain of losing the grain and ship containing it, and promising a reward of 50 ducats (6 guineas) to the informer, even though secret.	A bad harvest.
1783. 8th April.	Decree of the magistracy for corn, approved by the senate, to prohibit the exportation of rice.	To retain at home every species of food.
19th April.	Decree of the senate, grants the free introduction of corn and grain both by sea and land.	The country being in great need.
1784. 24th July.	Law of the senate, to suppress, with heaviest pains, the smuggling of corn out of the country.	Occasioned by the discovery of abuses and violations of the laws.
1785. 9th January.	Tariff issued by the magistracy for corn, and approved by the senate, to introduce the following species:—	To increase the revenue, and supply the wants of the republic.

	Ven. liv. & soldi.			*s.*	*d. sig.*	
Wheat - -	5	4	p' stajo	7	7	per Winchester quarter.
Indian corn - -	2	5	-	3	$4\frac{1}{2}$	
Wheat flour -	5	10	-	7	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
Indian corn flour -	2	15	-	3	7	

1787. $\frac{17}{19}$ November.	Proclamations of the magistracy for corn, offering rewards to any one giving information, even secretly, of the exportation of grain from the Venetian territories.	To check the evil of the increasing scarcity, arising from the bad crop of this year.
1788. 3d May.	Proclamation of the doge, permits the exportation of wheat and rye without licence, and free of duty.	Circumstances under which the prohibition was issued having changed.
1789. 31st July. 8th August.	Laws of the senate, prohibiting the exportation of corn and grain, except French beans, and revoking all former concessions.	A bad harvest, and high prices.
1792. 22d August.	Proclamation of the magistracy for corn, prescribes rules for the transportation of national grain to national ports, and prohibits the introduction of foreign grain.	To suppress discovered abuses.
24th Nov. 4th Dec.	Decrees of the senate; prohibit the exportation of wheat and rye, and permit that of Indian corn, pulse, millet and small corn; order the inquisitor, Matthias Balbi, to proceed criminally against the violators of the law.	To benefit the public, in consequence of the high prices of wheat and rye.
1792. 15th Dec.	Decree of the senate, extending the prohibition to the species of grain permitted by the last decrees.	That the poor might supply their wants at the lowest possible price.
1793. 18th Sept.	Statutes issued by the magistracy, regulating the transit of grain from Venice to the provinces beyond sea; *i e* in the Levant, Dalmatia, Istria, &c.	To prevent grain consigned to Cefalonia passing into other dominions.
1794. 18th Sept.	Decree of the senate, granting, pro tempore, the free exportation of beans, oats and rye, and renewing the prohibition to export other kinds.	The prices of the three sorts permitted, being low.

DATE.	LAWS, DECREES OR PROCLAMATIONS.	CAUSE OR OBJECT.
1795. 19th Sept.	Law of the doge, granting the importation of foreign corn into the ports of Venice, free of all charge or duty, for six months.	To correct high prices.
1796. 17th Feb.	Decree of the doge, extending the last law for a further period of six months.	
17th June.	Last decree under the doge, issued by the magistracy for corn, by order of the senate, prohibiting all exportation of grain, &c. even of oats, rye and rice.	To ensure the people a supply of food in case of need.
1797. 12th May.	*Note.*—The great council having destroyed the sovereignty of the doge, and proclaimed the liberty of the people, a democratic government was instituted, which issued the following laws:	
17th May.	Decree of the provisional municipality, suspending for two months all duties on corn and grain.	To gratify the people who made this claim.
18th May.	Decree of the provisional municipality, in the name of the sovereignty of the people; a rigorous prohibition against taking from the capital, even for the provinces, any sort of corn and grain, without special permission from the committee of subsistence.	To maintain an abundance in favour of the citizens of Venice attached to the new government.
17th June.	Order of the committee of subsistence, prescribing regulations for the transport of grain from the capital to the provinces, always, however, with exemption from duty.	There not being a general supply.
8th July.	Decree of the committee of subsistence, modifying the preceding regulations, and establishing the forfeit of the corn to the violators of them.	For the better execution of the preceding order.
26th Aug.	Decree of the municipality of Venice, in the name of the sovereignty of the people, permitting the exportation of national grain, with an obligation, notwithstanding, to deliver into the government granaries 10 per cent on the quantity to be exported, to be paid for at the rate of 26 Venetian livres the stajo, 37*s.* 11*d.* sterling per Winchester quarter.	To combine the subsistence of the population with the freedom of commerce.
	The Austrian Power having superseded the democratic Government.	
1799. 26th Feb.	By decree of the government, the following duties were levied: For the introduction of wheat flour and manufactured paste, per stajo, 5 liv. 4 soldi Venet.; Indian Corn, small grain, and pulse, 2 liv. 12 soldi Venet. About 7*s.* 7*d.* sterling per Winchester qr. in the 1st case, and 3*s.* 9½*d.* per - - d° - in the 2d case.	A measure intended for the increase of the revenue.
1799. 4th March.	Edict of the provisional government, confirms the prohibition to export all kinds of grain from the Venetian provinces both by sea and land.	A most extraordinary scarcity, wheat having reached a price equal to 7*l.* sterling per Winchester quarter, and Indian corn and pulse 6*l.*
1801. 7th July.	Edict of the provisional government, renews the foregoing prohibition as regards native grain, but allows foreign grain to pass the states in transit.	The merchants having petitioned.
1802. 21st Jan.	Edict of the provisional government, prohibits the exportation of all kinds of corn and grain.	Continuation of scarcity.
11th Feb.	Edict of the provisional government, in the name of the emperor, declaring the ports of Venice open for the introduction of all kinds of corn and grain, free of duty, during the whole of the year 1802, and retaining in full force the prohibition to export under severe penalties.	To diminish the extreme high prices. *Note.*—The real cause of the high prices being, in this case, a change in the currency, this edict did not produce the desired effect.

DATE.	LAWS, DECREES OR PROCLAMATIONS.	CAUSE OR OBJECT.
1805. 8th Feb.	Edict of the government, publishing the preceding laws, prohibiting all exportation of grain.	Prices continuing high.
	Government of the Kingdom of Italy under Buonaparte.	
1806. 1st April.	Decree of the viceroy, in the name of the emperor, re-enacts the following laws relating to the exportation of grain, which had been promulgated by the French, during their partial occupation of these countries.	To lay down a fundamental law.
1804. 26th March.	By this law corn and grain might be exported on payment of the following duties :— *Soldi of Milan.* All kinds, except rice - 6 per quintal. Rice - - - - 12 per d°. In English money and weight about 1¼*d.* and 3½*d.* per cwt.	
	Several laws were here inserted, having for object the keeping the government informed of the quantity of corn and grain consumed, exported, and in store.	
1805. 1st May.	A prohibition to export oats and spelt wheat until further orders.	The want of these kinds having increased, and the quantity become scarce.
24th August.	Imperial decree, prohibiting the exportation of corn and grain from the kingdom of Italy, except to Piedmont, under the following duties :— *Liv. soldi of Milan.* *sterling.* Wheat and pulse - 0 6 p' quintal p' cwt. 1¾*d.* Oats - - - 0 18 p' quintal p' d° 5¼*d.* Indian corn - - 1 4 p' quintal p' d° 7*d.* Rice - - - 1 10 p' quintal p' d° 8¼*d.*	
20th Nov.	Decree of the viceroy, permitting the transport of corn and grain from and to ports occupied by the French army.	To provide for the army.
1806. 4th Sept.	Imperial decree, establishing the following tariff for the exportation of corn and grain :— *Liv. soldi of Milan.* *sterling.* Wheat - - - 0 15 p' quintal p' cwt. 4½*d.* Rice - - - 1 0 p' quintal p' d° 5¼*d.* Other grain and pulse 0 8 p' quintal p' d° 2½*d.*	
1807. 6th June.	Decree of the viceroy, changing the last tariff for exportation thus :— *Soldi of Milan.* *sterling.* Wheat - - - 8 p' quintal p' cwt. 2½*d.* Rice - - - 12 p' quintal p' d° 3¾*d.* Other grain and pulse 6 p' quintal p' d° 1¼*d.*	The duty was thus lowered on account of fall in prices.
	Note.—About this period the navigation of the Black Sea being opened, and the government taking no precautions to prevent the introduction of corn from the north, through the Black Sea, the prices fell rapidly; and agriculture, losing all encouragement, became so neglected as never yet to have recovered its former state.	
1810. 2d August.	Decree of the viceroy, settling the tariff of exportation as follows :— *Italian livres & cents.* *sterling.* Wheat - - - 75 p' quintal p' cwt. 5*d.* Rice - - - 1,00 p' quintal p' d° 6¼*d.* Other grain and pulse 60 p' quintal p' d° 4*d.*	
12th Sept.	Imperial decree, suspending the exportation of wheat and wheat-flour from the kingdom of Italy under any pretext, and ordering the minister of the interior to ascertain the existing quantity of wheat and flour, and form an estimate of what might be necessary for one year's consumption.	A war project.

DATE.	LAWS, DECREES OR PROCLAMATIONS.	CAUSE OR OBJECT.
1813. 4th June.	Imperial decree, permitting the exportation of corn and grain by sea, provided two thirds of the vessel's cargo consisted of unprohibited merchandize.	

The duties were determined by the prices thus:—

Wheat.

Price per Hectolitre.	Duty per Quintal.
To, francs, 18,00 - -	francs 1,00
from 18 to 20,00 - -	— 1,50
20 to 22,00 - -	— 2,00
22 to 24,00 - -	— 2,50
24 to 26,00 - -	— 3,00
26 to 28,00 - -	— 5,00
28 to 30,00 - -	— 8,00

Rice.

To, francs, 20,00 - -	francs 1,00
from 20 to 25,00 - -	— 2,00
25 to 30,00 - -	— 2,50
30 to 35,00 - -	— 3,00
35 to 40,00 - -	— 4,00
40 to 45,00 - -	— 6,00
45 to 50,00 - -	— 8,00

All other Grain and Pulse.

To, francs, 12,00 - -	francs 0,50
from 12 to 14,00 - -	— 1,50
14 to 16,00 - -	— 3,00
16 to 18,00 - -	— 4,00
18 to 20,00 - -	— 5,00
20 to 22,00 - -	— 6,00
22 to 24,00 - -	— 8,00

Reduced to English measure, weight and money:—

Wheat.

Price per Winchester Quarter.					Duty per Cwt.	
	s.	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*
To	–	–	42	3 ½ - -	0	6 ¾
From	42	3 ½	to 47	0 - -	0	10 ¼
	47	–	to 51	8 ½ - -	1	1 ½
	51	8 ½	to 56	4 ¾ - -	1	5
	56	4 ¼	to 61	1 ¼ - -	1	8 ¼
	61	1 ¼	to 65	9 ½ - -	2	9 ¾
	65	9 ½	to 70	6 - -	4	6

Rice.

To	–	–		47	0	- -	0	6 ¾
From	47	–	to	58	9	- -	1	1 ½
	58	9	to	70	6	- -	1	5
	70	6	to	82	3	- -	1	8 ¼
	82	3	to	94	0	- -	2	3 ¼
	94	0	to	105	9	- -	3	4 ½
	105	9	to	117	6	- -	4	6

Other Grain and Pulse.

To	–	–		28	2 ¼	- -	0	3 ½
From	28	2 ½	to	32	10 ¼	- -	0	10 ¼
	32	10 ¼	to	37	7 ½	- -	1	8 ¼
	37	7 ½	to	42	3 ½	- -	2	3 ¼
	42	3 ½	to	47	0	- -	2	9 ¾
	47	0	to	51	8 ½	- -	3	4 ½
	51	8 ½	to	56	4 ¼	- -	4	6

The present Austrian Government.

1814. 5th October.	Order of the aulic commission of organization, putting in force the system of the Austrian government for regulating the commerce in corn and grain.	

Principal articles of the order:

1st, That Jews should be excluded from the corn trade.

2d, That general exportation of corn should be prohibited.

3d, But that its transport should be permitted to all parts of the Austrian monarchy; though if for Dalmatia, Ragusi, or Cattere, a passport should be necessary.

(*continued.*)

DATE.	LAWS, DECREES OR PROCLAMATIONS.	CAUSE OR OBJECT.
1815. March.	Imperial order, prohibiting the exportation of corn and grain from the Venetian states 'till the harvest should shew whether or no a different measure would be expedient.	Scarcity.
14th Oct.	Government notice, permitting the free entry of corn and grain into the free port for eight months.	Considerably increased prices.
1816. 4th January.	Imperial resolutions, decreeing severe penalties on the exporters of corn and grain.	Great scarcity, and still higher prices.
22d April.	*Note.*—In the year 1817 the scarcity of grain was such that great numbers perished from want, and the prices were consequently extreme. It is notwithstanding stated by Count Dandolo, in his work on political economy, that 2,000 vessels with corn from the Black Sea, during the years 1816 and 1817, discharged their cargoes in the ports of the Adriatic and Mediterranean, the greater part wheat. This scarcity ceased only with the abundant harvest of 1818.	
1818. 21st May.	Imperial grant, grants the exportation of corn and grain on payment of the duties stated in the subjoined tariff, and abolishes all discipline and cautions first introduced by the Austrians. The importation of corn and grain has never been prohibited by the present government; the duties are stated in the subjoined tariff.	

(signed) *W. T. Money.*

DUTIES settled by the Imperial Decree of the 21st May 1818 to be payable at VENICE, on the Importation and Exportation of CORN and GRAIN, and continued in force to the present time.

	ON IMPORTATION.		ON EXPORTATION.	
	Austrian Livres and Cents per Stago.	Sterling Money per Winchester Quarter, calculated at par.	Austrian Livres and Cents per Stago.	Sterling Money per Winchester Quarter, calculated at par.
		s. *d.*		*s.* *d.*
WHEAT	1 30	3 2½	0 6	0 1½
INDIAN CORN	0 98	2 5¾	0 4⅓	0 1
OATS	0 54	1 4	0 3	0 0⅚
RYE	0 93	2 4	0 4⅓	0 1
BEANS	0 78	1 1½	0 3	0 0⅚

Venice, 10th March 1827. (signed) *W. T. Money.*

—N° 5.—

G. W. Chad, Esq. to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Dresden, 24th February 1827.

IN order to carry into effect the instructions contained in the Marquis of Clanricarde's despatch of the 15th of December, I applied, immediately upon the receipt of it, to the Saxon government, for information on the subject of the laws relating to the exportation and importation of Grain, of the alterations that have taken place in the export and import during the last fifty years, and in the duties imposed thereon.

I have now the honour to enclose to you copies of the reply of General de Minckwitz, the director of the foreign department, and of the documents accompanying his note.

I have translated the principal papers into English, and have converted the prices in the tables of the averages into English money.

But in order not to depend solely for information upon any application to the government, I employed a lawyer to prepare a statement of the laws of this country on the subject of the corn trade; and I have the honour to enclose a translated copy of his report.

I have also consulted other persons who are conversant with the subject; and from these united sources I have collected the following facts:—

1st. That the importation of Corn has never, within the last fifty years, been prohibited in Saxony.

2ndly. That according to the latest regulations contained in a decree of the 23d of March 1822, and in the tariff of frontier duties of the same date, Corn on its importation is subject to the following fixed duties:

Wheat, per scheffel	2¼ *d.*
Rye	1⅛ *d.*
Barley	1⅛ *d.*
Oats	0¾ *d.*
Peas, Millet, Vetches	1½ *d.*
Buckwheat	0¾ *d.*

N. B.—The scheffel contains 5,406 French cubic inches, and is equal to 3$\frac{1}{10}$ Winchester bushels. It weighs upon an average as follows:—

	English lbs.
Wheat of good quality, from	168 to 180
Rye, from	158 to 168
Barley, from	141 to 147
Oats, from	102 to 104

3dly. That Corn conveyed in boats upon the river Elbe is subject, by the act which regulates the navigation of that river, dated 27th February 1822, and concluded with the powers having territories on its banks, to the following transit duties:—

Wheat, per scheffel	3⅓ *d.*
Rye	2⅞ *d.*
Barley	2⅓ *d.*
Oats	1⅞ *d.*

4thly. That Corn in transit by land is subject to the following duties:—

Wheat, per scheffel	0⅓ *d.*
Barley	0¼ *d.*
Rye	0¼ *d.*
Oats	0¼ *d.*

5thly. That the same duty is levied upon meal or flour as upon grain.

6thly. That all duties upon the export and import of Corn between Prussia and Saxony have been reciprocally abolished by a convention between those two crowns.

7thly. That Grain on its exportation from Saxony pays no duty, unless a foreigner purchase it to send it out of the kingdom; in that case the foreigner should pay, according to paragraph 78 of the general excise decree of 22d June 1824, the following duty:—

Wheat, per scheffel - - - -	3 *d.*
Rye - - - - - -	1 ½ *d.*
Barley - - - - - -	1 ½ *d.*
Oats - - - - - -	0 ¼ *d.*

But that the foreigner constantly evades this duty by making his purchases in the name of a native.

8thly. That, by a decree dated 14th October 1791, the quantity of all Grain exported and imported is to be exactly notified at the frontier, under a penalty of three shillings sterling for each scheffel omitted to be thus declared.

9thly. That on entering all towns a duty is levied upon all corn, meal, flour, malt, or vetches, intended for the use and consumption of the inhabitants. That the produce of this duty is not, as in many countries of the Continent, applied to the municipal expenses of the town; that only a small portion of it in Saxony is dedicated to that purpose, and that the greatest part of it is available for the general expenses of the government, and is paid into the treasury. That the inhabitants of the country and of the villages are not subjected to this tax. That the amount of this duty is as follows; and, as will be perceived, is smaller in the towns in the circles of the mountains than in those in the other districts:—

Wheat, rye, vetches, millet, per scheffel - -	3 *d.*
In towns in the circles of the mountains -	1 ½ *d.*
Barley, oats, buckwheat - - - -	1 ½ *d.*
In towns in the circles of the mountains -	0 ¼ *d.*
Peas - - - - - - -	6 *d.*
In towns in the circles of the mountains -	3 *d.*

10thly. That, by a decree of 6th April 1784, regulations are laid down to prevent dealers from buying up corn for exportation, and that inspectors are directed to prevent such practices, and to confiscate any quantity purchased at once for that purpose, exceeding 100 scheffel; but that these regulations, though still existing, are not acted upon. That by the same decree commissioners are appointed to make reports to the government every fortnight of the price of corn, and of every thing relating to it.

11thly. That, by a decree of 28th October 1773, the Exportation of Corn is prohibited whenever the price exceeds the following limits; viz.

	s.	*d.*
Wheat, per scheffel - - - -	12	0
Rye - - - - - - - -	9	0
Barley - - - - - - - -	6	0
Oats - - - - - -	3	0

That the prohibition was enforced for several years succeeding the date of this decree, whenever the price rose above the stated limits; but that experience having proved that these regulations did not produce the desired result, the decree in question, though still existing, is allowed to become a dead letter, and that above 12 years ago the government came to the determination no longer to enforce it.

In the report transmitted to me by General de Minckwitz, it is given as one of the reasons for the abandonment of this prohibition of exporting Corn, that it was found when enforced to raise the price of that article; this statement seemed so much at variance with all received opinions upon the subject, that I applied to the minister of finance, under whose directions the report was drawn up, for an explanation of this point. His excellency assured me, that however paradoxical the statement might appear, it was nevertheless founded on fact, for that whenever the government had, in consequence of high prices, prohibited the exportation of corn, a panic had been the immediate consequence, and that the growers of corn, supposing a famine to be at hand, had hoarded their grain, and that the evil of high prices, instead of being diminished by the prohibition to export, had thus on the contrary been augmented by that measure.

I at the same time enquired of his excellency, how that statement of the report which represents the Saxon government as careful not to discourage the transit of corn could be reconciled with the duties levied (*vide* paragragh 3 of this despatch) on grain conveyed upon the Elbe, and which duties are heavier than the duties upon importation.

His Excellency stated in explanation, that these Elbe duties are regulated by a convention between the different powers possessing territories on the banks of that river; that the duties to be levied in the respective states are proportionately adjusted by that convention, and that the Saxon government had failed in its endeavours to obtain that the rate of these duties should be regulated upon a lower scale.

I am aware that there are some points relating to the legislation of this country, on the subject of Corn, susceptible of further elucidation. General de Minckwitz states in his note, that sufficient time has not been afforded for the full investigation of the subject, although it is nearly two months since I have made my application to him. It is difficult to obtain, except from the government, precise information respecting the actual operation of the laws in this kingdom, as some, although still unrepealed, are entirely obsolete, others only partially executed, and many are in practice habitually evaded.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *George William Chad.*

The Right Hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

First Enclosure in No. 5.

M. de Minckwitz to G. W. Chad, Esq.

Dresde, le 21 Fevrier 1827.

PAR suite de désir témoigné par Monsieur le Ministre d'Angleterre, des renseignemens ont étés demandés aux autorités concernant les loix qui, depuis 1776, ont régi ici, et qui regissent actuellement le commerce des grains, ainsi que sur les changemens que les prix des principales céréales ont subi depuis le milieu du siècle passé.

Les recherches ordonnées en conséquence exigent cependant un travail étendu, et les renseignemens détaillés n'ayant pas pu être recueillis jusqu'a l'époque où l'on voudrait en faire usage, le soussigné, au lieu de différer plus long tems la communication promise, préfère de transmettre á Monsieur Chad ci-annexés.

1°. Un aperçu général de la marche de l'administration dans cette partie, et des d oits ou impositions sur l'importation et les transit des grains.

2°. La note des prix moyens des céréales au marché de Dresde, depuis l'an 1750 jusqu'en 1822.

La modalité observée par rapport aux droits n'ayant guère changé pendant tout ce tems, les dites pièces en presentant les résultats généraux, paroissent remplir l'objet qu'on a en vue.

Le soussigné profite encore de cette occasion, &c.

(signé) *J. de Minckwitz.*

M. Chad, &c. &c. &c.

(Translation.)

Dresden, 21st Feb. 1827.

IN consequence of the desire expressed by His Britannic Majesty's minister, the authorities have been ordered to furnish a statement of the laws which have been in force here since the year 1776, relative to the commerce in grain; also of the various changes in price which the principal sorts of grain have undergone, since the middle of last century.

The researches necessary to this effect require, however, much labour; and it not having been practicable to collect detailed statements from the period required, the undersigned, rather than withhold any longer his communication, transmits to Mr. Chad herewith,

1st. A general outline of the proceedings of government in this respect, and of the duties on the importation and exportation of corn.

2ndly. The average price of corn in the Dresden market, from the year 1750 to 1822.

The scale of measurement observed with reference to the duties not having varied during this period, the aforesaid documents, in giving the general results, appear to answer the end proposed.

The undersigned, &c.
(signed) *J. de Minckwitz.*

G. W. Chad, Esq. &c. &c. &c.

Second Enclosure in N° 5.

(Translation.)

REPORT of the Saxon Government, in reply to the enquiries made by Mr. Chad, on the subject of the Laws in the Kingdom of Saxony respecting CORN.

THE kingdom of Saxony, considered as a whole, does not produce corn enough for its consumption; for although the circles of Leipsic, of Misma, and of Upper Lusatia, grow in ordinary years more than is sufficient for the consumption of those circles, yet, on the other hand, the circles of the mountains, and the circles of Voigtland, do not produce by any means enough to support their numerous population, who gain their livelihood either by labour in the mines or by other employments *.

The supplementary corn necessary for the support of the above-named circles, is brought from the duchy of Altenbourg, and from Bohemia, and if a supply from those countries is prevented, from the north of Germany, by the Elbe.

The amount of corn grown in the circles of the mountains, and in the circle of Voigtland, is calculated upon an average, in common years, at

660,000 scheffels of wheat, and at
800,000 - do - oats,

a quantity insufficient for the population of those circles, which is about 617,000 souls.

N.B.—The scheffel (boisseau) of Dresden contains 5,406 French cubic inches, and weighs commonly,

	Cwts.	lbs.	
Rye - -	1	53	Hamburgh weight.
Wheat - -	1	63	
Barley - -	1	22	
Oats - -	0	104	

This disproportion between production and consumption has induced the government always to encourage the importation of corn, even when the price has been low, and the more fertile districts of the kingdom have furnished the supplement necessary to the more barren circles.

The import duty is as follows:

Wheat - -	$2\frac{1}{4}$ *d.* sterling per scheffel.
Rye - -	$1\frac{1}{2}$ - — - - —
Barley - -	$1\frac{1}{8}$ - — - - —
Oats - -	$0\frac{3}{4}$ - — - - —

N.B—All export and import duties are reciprocally suppressed between the kingdoms of Prussia and Saxony by a convention.

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* *Note of the translator.*—There are many manufactories of cotton goods, woollen cloths, linen and lace, established upon a small scale in the above-named districts.

The Transit Duties by land are as follow:

Wheat and Rye -	$\frac{1}{8}$ *d.* sterling per scheffel.
Barley - - -	$\frac{1}{4}$ - — - - —
Oats - - -	$\frac{1}{8}$ - — - - —

The Transit Duties on Corn transported upon the Elbe are, as follows:

Wheat - -	$3\frac{1}{8}$ *d.* sterling per scheffel.
Rye - -	$2\frac{7}{8}$ - — - - —
Barley - -	$2\frac{3}{8}$ - — - - —
Oats - -	$1\frac{7}{8}$ - — - - —

The Exportation of Corn should, according a decree of the year 1773, be prohibited whenever the prices exceed the following limits:

Wheat - -	12 *s.* sterling per scheffel.
Rye - -	9 - — - - —
Barley - -	6 - — - - —
Oats - -	3 - — - - —

And this prohibition was enforced during the subsequent years, whenever the price of corn exceeded the above-stated limits. Experience however proved that this regulation, even if illicit exportation could have been prevented, would not have answered the intentions of the government, and would have raised the prices in a degree hurtful to the interests of the country. The government has therefore for a long time abandoned this system; and whatever has been the elevation of prices, the exportation of corn has always remained free, as has also the transit, which the government has taken care not to restrain.

It will be observed, from what has been said above, that the Saxon government has, in respect to the regulation of the corn trade, returned to the system adopted by it at a much more early period, with respect to the general trade of Saxony with foreign countries.

The main principle of this system is a perfect freedom of exchanging, of importing, and of exporting every article of trade, whether it be the raw material, or the produce either of native or of foreign industy.

Saxony has, in consequence, relinquished those duties and prohibitions by which other countries have endeavoured to favour the agriculture or the manufactures of their inhabitants; and the few deviations from this system, which particular circumstances formerly produced in Saxony, were immediately followed by consequences so injurious, either to commerce or to industry, that the determination to adhere to the principle has only been strengthened thereby.

Third Enclosure in N° 5.

(Translation.)

AVERAGE PRICE OF CORN in the DRESDEN MARKET, from the Year 1750 to 1824.

N. B.—The averages from 1750 to 1782, inclusive, are taken from the averages of the months of May and November of the respective years; and those from 1783 to 1824, inclusive, are taken from the averages of each market-day in the year.

The scheffel contains 5,406 French cubic inches, and weighs upon an average, as follows:

	Cwt.	lbs.	
The scheffel of Rye - -	1	53	Hamburgh Weight.
— - - Wheat - -	1	63	
— - - Barley - -	1	22	
— - - Oats - -	0	104	

Note of the Translator.—The scheffel, as compared with English measure, is equal to $3\frac{1}{10}$ Winchester bushels. The Saxon dollar, according to the present rate of exchange, is worth three shillings sterling; the groschen, of which 24 make a dollar, is equal to $1\frac{1}{2}d.$ sterling, and the pfennig, of which 12 make a groschen, is equal to $\frac{1}{8}$ of a penny, or half a farthing, or a doit, as it was formerly called in England. As the amount in very few of the following sums amounts to 20*s.* it has been deemed more convenient not to introduce the denomination of £1. sterling at all.

Years.	Rye.		Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.		Years.	Rye.		Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.	
	s.	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*		*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*	*s.*	*d.*
1750	5	3	8	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	$7\frac{1}{2}$	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1788	7	9	10	9	6	–	4	3
1751	4	9	7	$10\frac{1}{2}$	4	–	2	$10\frac{1}{2}$	1789	9	–	12	–	6	3	4	–
1752	4	9	7	–	4	$1\frac{1}{2}$	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1790	11	–	12	$7\frac{1}{2}$	8	$7\frac{1}{2}$	6	–
1753	4	9	6	3	4	3	2	9									
1754	6	–	7	$10\frac{1}{2}$	4	$7\frac{1}{2}$	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1791	8	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	$10\frac{1}{2}$	7	$1\frac{1}{2}$	5	$4\frac{1}{2}$
1755	6	3	8	3	4	$7\frac{1}{2}$	2	9	1792	5	9	9	$4\frac{1}{2}$	4	9	3	$7\frac{1}{2}$
1756	11	6	11	9	8	$1\frac{1}{2}$	3	$1\frac{1}{2}$	1793	5	9	8	9	4	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	$1\frac{1}{2}$
1757	14	$1\frac{1}{2}$	17	–	10	$1\frac{1}{2}$	5	$1\frac{1}{2}$	1794	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$	9	6	4	6	3	–
1758	8	$10\frac{1}{2}$	13	9	6	$10\frac{1}{2}$	5	–	1795	8	3	11	6	6	–	4	$7\frac{1}{2}$
1759	8	$1\frac{1}{2}$	12	$10\frac{1}{2}$	7	3	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$	1796	6	$7\frac{1}{2}$	9	$7\frac{1}{2}$	4	9	4	–
1760	11	$4\frac{1}{2}$	18	3	10	3	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1797	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$	9	–	4	9	3	9
									1798	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	10	$10\frac{1}{2}$	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$	5	$1\frac{1}{2}$
1761	14	$7\frac{1}{2}$	20	9	13	3	10	3	1799	10	$7\frac{1}{2}$	13	$1\frac{1}{2}$	8	3	6	9
1762	35	9	37	9	26	–	17	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1800	10	$7\frac{1}{2}$	13	$7\frac{1}{2}$	6	$10\frac{1}{2}$	5	$1\frac{1}{2}$
1763	8	$10\frac{1}{2}$	11	$4\frac{1}{2}$	7	$1\frac{1}{2}$	5	9									
1764	5	–	8	9	4	$4\frac{1}{2}$	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1801	9	$4\frac{1}{2}$	13	$4\frac{1}{2}$	7	3	4	6
1765	6	9	9	$7\frac{1}{2}$	4	–	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1802	10	9	16	$10\frac{1}{2}$	8	$10\frac{1}{2}$	6	6
1766	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$	9	9	4	3	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1803	13	–	19	$1\frac{1}{2}$	9	$4\frac{1}{2}$	7	3
1767	5	9	8	$4\frac{1}{2}$	4	6	3	3	1804	15	3	19	$1\frac{1}{2}$	10	–	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$
1768	6	–	10	–	4	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	–	1805	22	$10\frac{1}{2}$	26	6	17	$7\frac{1}{2}$	12	$4\frac{1}{2}$
1769	5	–	8	$1\frac{1}{2}$	3	$7\frac{1}{2}$	2	$10\frac{1}{2}$	1806	18	$1\frac{1}{2}$	22	6	15	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	6
1770	8	$1\frac{1}{2}$	9	$10\frac{1}{2}$	4	$10\frac{1}{2}$	2	$4\frac{1}{2}$	1807	11	$4\frac{1}{2}$	15	$4\frac{1}{2}$	8	3	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$
									1808	14	–	18	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	$10\frac{1}{2}$	7	6
1771	17	$10\frac{1}{2}$	19	$1\frac{1}{2}$	11	9	6	6	1809	10	9	13	–	7	9	5	$7\frac{1}{2}$
1772	15	9	18	6	14	–	6	6	1810	8	–	9	9	6	$10\frac{1}{2}$	4	9
1773	6	$7\frac{1}{2}$	9	$7\frac{1}{2}$	8	$1\frac{1}{2}$	2	6									
1774	5	3	8	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	6	2	$1\frac{1}{2}$	1811	8	$4\frac{1}{2}$	12	$7\frac{1}{2}$	6	6	4	3
1775	6	$10\frac{1}{2}$	9	$4\frac{1}{2}$	4	–	3	–	1812	13	$1\frac{1}{2}$	19	–	8	3	5	$7\frac{1}{2}$
1776	5	3	6	$7\frac{1}{2}$	3	9	2	9	1813	17	6	23	6	13	6	10	$10\frac{1}{2}$
1777	4	$10\frac{1}{2}$	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	$10\frac{1}{2}$	2	$7\frac{1}{2}$	1814	17	3	19	–	11	3	10	3
1778	6	6	9	–	4	$10\frac{1}{2}$	3	$1\frac{1}{2}$	1815	12	–	15	9	7	$10\frac{1}{2}$	5	6
1779	5	3	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	3	$10\frac{1}{2}$	2	$10\frac{1}{2}$	1816	15	$4\frac{1}{2}$	21	–	10	$4\frac{1}{2}$	6	$10\frac{1}{2}$
1780	5	3	7	3	3	9	2	6	1817	19	$10\frac{1}{2}$	24	9	15	–	8	$7\frac{1}{2}$
									1818	12	$7\frac{1}{2}$	17	9	9	6	7	3
1781	5	3	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	4	3	3	–	1819	8	$1\frac{1}{2}$	12	$7\frac{1}{2}$	6	$7\frac{1}{2}$	5	$7\frac{1}{2}$
1782	6	–	8	–	5	$1\frac{1}{2}$	3	9	1820	7	3	11	3	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$	5	$1\frac{1}{2}$
1783	6	$10\frac{1}{2}$	8	–	5	–	3	$7\frac{1}{2}$									
1784	7	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	–	5	$7\frac{1}{2}$	4	3	1821	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	12	6	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$	4	$10\frac{1}{2}$
1785	8	6	10	9	5	9	4	$10\frac{1}{2}$	1822	8	9	12	6	7	$1\frac{1}{2}$	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$
1786	7	$4\frac{1}{2}$	9	$10\frac{1}{2}$	5	6	3	3	1823	10	–	12	3	7	$10\frac{1}{2}$	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$
1787	7	$7\frac{1}{2}$	10	$7\frac{1}{2}$	5	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	6	1824	6	–	9	$10\frac{1}{2}$	4	$4\frac{1}{2}$	3	6

Fourth Enclosure in No. 5.—(Translation.)

REMARKS upon the state of EXPORTATION and IMPORTATION of GRAIN in the kingdom of SAXONY; upon the changes which have taken place therein within the last fifty years; and upon the duties levied on the same.

1. The trade with inland corn in Saxony, and with that brought from the country to the market towns, is subject to numerous special regulations; the object of which is,

a. An exact return of, and controul over, the quantity of grain brought into the towns.

b. The payment of a fixed duty on grain brought to market and sold by the grower to the dealer; as likewise on its passing through the hands of the intermediate dealer. In the low lands (flat country) the grain for the private consumption of the grower is entirely free of duty.

c. The payment of duty upon grain converted into meal, flour, &c. &c.

2. According to the general decree of 28th October 1773, (No. 21.) the exportation of corn depends upon whether the price of grain exceeds a given quantum or not. This quantum is fixed at

6*d.* sterling	-	wheat	-	4 groschen per Dresden scheffel.
4½*d.* do.	-	rye	-	3 ——
3*d.* do.	-	barley	-	2 ——
1½*d.* do.	-	oats	-	1 ——

If the prices of grain should exceed this on three succeeding market days, the exportation is to be forbidden by government.

In virtue of these regulations, the exportation was during the scarcity in 1772, as also later, sometimes prohibited and sometimes allowed.

3. These regulations were renewed by a decree of 6th April 1784, to prevent usurers buying up grain in Saxony and exporting it. For this reason the inspectors and receivers are directed to confiscate such bought-up grain, as also any quantity amounting to or exceeding 100 scheffel. The commissioners are to gain correct information as to the prices of grain, and to make their reports upon this and upon othe subje cts relating to it every fortnight.

4. As the price of grain during the last ten years has been, on an average, below the fixed prices, or has exceeded them only during a very short period, no prohibition of exportation has taken place. At this present moment salt is the only article of which the exportation is forbidden in Saxony.

5. Grain exported from Saxony is perfectly free of duty, except in the case of a foreigner buying up grain in order to take it out of the country.

According to § 78. of the general excise decree of 22d June 1824, such foreigner is regarded as a dealer, and is subject to a purchase duty of

2 groschen	-	3*d.* sterling,	on	the	scheffel	of wheat.
1 - do.	-	1½*d.* -	do.	-	do.	- - rye.
1 - do.	-	1½*d.* -	do.	-	do.	- - barley.
0 6 pfen.	-	¾*d.* -	do.	-	do.	- - oats.

6. At the expiration of the prohibition of exportation, by an order of 14th October 1791, it was decreed, that in future all species of grain, either exported from or imported into this country, without regard to sort or to quality; videlicet, wheat, rye, barley, oats, peas, lentils, millet, buckwheat, vetches, &c. &c., should be strictly notified at the excise on the frontiers, under a penalty of one dollar (3 shillings sterling), for each scheffel omitted to be so notified.

7. The importation of foreign grain is generally allowed on paying the fixed duties. According to the decree of 23d March 1822, and the tariff of frontier duties, published at the same time, on foreign articles, grain is subject to the following duties:

On Entry.

d. sterling.		gros.	pfen.	
2¼	Wheat - -	1	6	per scheffel.
1½	Rye - -	1	0	per do.
1⅛	Barley - -	0	9	per do.
¾	Oats - -	0	6	per do.
1½	Peas			
1½	Millet - -	1	0	per do.
1½	Vetches			
¾	Buckwheat	0	6	per do.

On passing through.

d.		pfen.	
$\frac{3}{8}$	Wheat - - -	3	per scheffel.
$\frac{3}{8}$	Rye - - -	3	- —
$\frac{2}{8}$	Barley - - -	2	- —
$\frac{1}{8}$	Oats - - -	1	- —
$\frac{3}{8}$	Peas, Millet, Vetches - - -	3	- —
$\frac{1}{4}$	Buckwheat - - -	2	- —

The duty on flour and meal is the same as that on the grain itself; grain, shipped upon the Elbe, is subject to a separate Elbe duty at every landing place, according to the Elbe excise tariff of 27th February 1822.

(signed) *Frederick Kuhn*, Advocate.

—N° 6.—

E. C. Disbrowe, Esq. to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR St. Petersburgh, $\frac{2}{14}$ February 1827.

IN obedience to your commands, signified to me by Mr. Planta, I have now the honour to reply to the circular dated 15th December 1826.

Sir Daniel Bayley, His Majesty's consul-general, by whom the circular had been previously received, having transmitted to the Foreign Office translations of all the different ukases relative to the importation and exportation of grain, I have thought it more advisable to confine myself to ascertaining the principle on which this government acts, than to lose time by going over again the same ground on which that gentleman has transmitted so much valuable information.

In this view of the subject I drew up and presented to Count Nesselrode the Queries marked A.; to which his Excellency has obligingly transmitted the accompanying replies. From hence it appears that, according to law, the import and export of grain is permitted, subject to certain duties, *vide* B.

Besides this duty levied in conformity to the tariff of 1822, a duty of 2% on the duty charged is levied on corn as well as on every other article imported into Russia, and on the exportation 1% towards defraying the quarantine establishments. In general those duties, except the last, are paid by the Russian merchants.

For the variations in the tariff during the last fifty years, I beg to refer you to Sir Daniel Bayley's letters, dated $\frac{\text{31st January}}{\text{12th February.}}$

Charges are also made at differet ports by the local authorities, and those charges have likewise varied considerably in amount and in the mode of collecting them during the last fifty years.

To ascertain precisely the variation in these charges during the last fifty years, I believe, would be impossible; but in order to ascertain them as nearly as lies in my power, I thought it advisable to address the enclosed circular (C.) to His Majesty's consuls at the different ports, and I beg leave to transmit the replies (D.) which I have received from His Majesty's consul-general, enclosing one from the vice-consul at Revel; and (E.) those from the consuls at Liebau, Archangel and Riga*.

The greatest variation seems to have taken place at Archangel, which port was closed for exportation previous to 1797; and from which period, up to 1805, one fifth of the quantity permitted to be exported was levied in kind, and the port dues have varied from 25 to 100 cop. per last.

In St. Petersburg a small duty has been raised occasionally, as a sort of chancery fee, but that is now abolished.

As late as last autumn the export of oats was suddenly prohibited; but by a new ukase, dated January 1827, no such prohibition is to be renewed, unless notice to that effect of the intention of the government is given to the merchants the preceding month of October.

The same observations will hold good for the ports of Liebau, Revel, and Riga. For the variations made by the local authorities during the last fifty years, I beg to refer to the enclosures.

Count Nesselrode has promised me further information relative to the kingdom of Poland; and I am still in expectation of some communications from the Black Sea, which shall be transmitted as soon as received.

I have the honour, &c. &c.

(signed) *Edward Cromwell Disbrowe.*

The Rt. Hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

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* Already received direct, and presented to the House of Lords, 19th February 1827.

Enclosure A. in N° 6.—(Translation.)

Queries on the State of the Corn Laws in Russia.	Answers and Extracts of the Regulations.
1.—DOES any general law exist by which the importation and exportation of grain is regulated throughout the empire of Russia?	THE importation as well as the exportation of corn is permitted in virtue of the provisions of the tariff now in force.
2.—Is any duty charged on the importation of grain into the empire of Russia, beyond what is imposed by the tariff published in 1822?	The following duties are collected upon corn as upon all kinds of merchandize imported into Russia: 1st, An additional duty of two copecks per rouble on each rouble collected as custom-house duties: 2dly, At Archangel, a duty of one half per cent upon the price of goods, for the advantage of the city of Archangel: 3dly, At Taganrog, a duty of two copecks per pound upon articles measured by weight, for the benefit of the town of Taganrog.
3.—Is any duty charged on the exportation of grain beyond what is imposed by the tariff published in 1822?	Duties are imposed upon corn as upon all kinds of merchandize exported from Russia, as follows: 1. An additional duty of one copeck per rouble custom-house duties, for the maintenance of quarantines. At Archangel, a duty of half a copeck on the price of the articles, for the benefit of the city of Archangel. 2. A duty of 10% per rouble collected as a custom-house duty on the brute weight of produce, for the advantage of the interior navigation of the country. 3. At Theodosie, a duty of 3 copecks per tchetvert of wheat, and of 2 copecks per tchetvert of barley, for the advantage of the city of Theodosie. 4. At Odessa, a duty of 5 copecks per tchetvert of wheat, for the advantage of the town, and of 2½ sil. cop. per tchetvert of grain, for the advantage of the Lyceum of Odessa. 5. At Taganrog, a duty of ½ copeck per pound on the articles measured by weight, for the advantage of the city of Taganrog. 6. At Archangel, a duty of 1 rouble per tchetvert of rye, of flour of rye, and of wheat, of the magazines of reserve.
4.—If any other duty is charged on the importation or exportation, is it a fixed or a variable duty? and what is the amount per tchetvert?	In the number of imports above mentioned, those on grain exported for the advantage of the Lyceum of Odessa, and of the interior navigation, have been established for 10 years, the first by an ukase of 15th March 1817, the second by an ukase of 22d March 1818.
5.—Is there any case in which the importation or exportation of grain is prohibited by law?	The importation and exportation of corn are in no case prohibited by the laws. Nevertheless, there have been instances when the increase of the prices, produced either by a too great exportation of grain or by scanty harvests, or in consequence of war, has, for the moment, caused an interruption to the free exportation of grain, which happened in 1786, 1798, 1799, 1800 and 1806. But since then, it has been established as a principle, that whenever the government may think fit to prohibit the exportation of grain, notice must be given to the merchants beforehand, and particularly in the month of October of each year. By ukase of January 1827.
6.—Has any change in the principle of the corn laws taken place in the last fifty years?	The changes in this respect are specified by the tariffs consecutively published during that period.—*Vide* Ukases transmitted by Sir Daniel Bayley.

A true Translation. (signed) The Assessor of the College,

M. Castinez.

Enclosure B. in N° 6.

EXTRACT of TARIFF of 1822 now in force.

Per One Imperial Quarter.

	IMPORT.		EXPORT.
	By Land.	By Sea.	By Land or Sea.
	d.	*s.* *d.*	*d.*
Rye - - - - -	10	8 4	1 ½
Wheat - - - -	15	12 6	3
Oats - - - - -	7 ½	6 3	1 ½
Barley - - - - -	10	8 4	1 ½

In sterling money, at the exchange of 10*d.* per 1 rouble.

St. Petersburgh, the $\frac{29 \text{ January}}{10 \text{ February}}$ 1827.

Enclosure C. in N° 6.

E. C. Disbrowe, Esq. to the British Consuls.

Circular.

SIR, St. Petersburgh, ½¾ January 1827.

HAVING been directed to transmit, for the information of His Majesty's Government, "A Statement of the Laws relative to the import and export of "Grain in this country, and the duties imposed thereon;—

I have to request that you will inform me if any local tax or usage exists, affecting the import or export of grain in the port where you reside, or whether any fees or certificates or other dues are payable to the town or magistrature of the town or military governor or other. Also, whether, to your knowledge, any material change has taken place in those fees, &c. within the last fifty years.

As the period to which I am limited in making my reply is short, I have to request that you will be kind enough to give your early attention to this business.

I am, &c.

His Majesty's Consul at ———. (signed) *Edw. C. Disbrowe.*

Enclosure D. 1. in N° 6.

Consul-General Sir D. Bayley to E. C. Disbrowe, Esq.

SIR, St. Petersburgh, $\frac{29\text{th January}}{10\text{th February}}$ 1827.

I HAVE to acquaint you that, in compliance with the directions contained in your circular dispatch of the ½¾ January, I transmitted copies of your orders to Mr. Vice-Consul Girard at Reval, and to Mr. Consul Kienitz at Liebau; from the former I have received a reply, of which I enclose you a copy.

In answer to the queries you have propounded to me, I know of no local tax or usage affecting the import and export of grain at this port, beyond the duties levied according to the tariff now in force, of which I enclose you a table, in which I have reduced them into sterling money per imperial quarter.

I know of no fees for certificates or other dues beyond these duties. It is most true that such fees were exacted, and even so lately as the last autumn; and it is within my knowledge that similar exactions were made for many years back, but they were abuses, which had found their way like many others into the chancery of the military governor and of others, unauthorized by the laws of the land, at least by any ukase or promulgated law.

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In regard to the changes which have taken place within the last fifty years, they are numerous, as appears by the various ukases and tariffs published within that period, and which I have with great difficulty procured access to, and made extracts and translations from them, to be transmitted to the Foreign Office in execution of the orders conveyed to me from Mr. Secretary Canning.

I remain, &c.

Edw. C. Disbrowe, Esq. (signed) *Daniel Bayley.*
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure D. 2. in N° 6.

Mr. Vice Consul Girard to Consul General Sir D. Bayley.

SIR, Reval, 22d January (3d February) 1827.

IN due attention to your esteemed favour of $\frac{1}{26}$ January, covering a copy of a letter of Mr. Disbrowe, His Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary in Russia, I have the honour to state, that a last of grain contains here 24 barrels or 72 loofs, or $14\frac{2}{5}$ chetiverts the duty is according to the tariff per last:

48 cop. silver or P. N. R. - -	1	73
To the magistrature - - - -	1	0
	R. 2	73
Ditto in kind - - -	1 loof.	

It is twelve years ago, the 1 R. per last has been allowed by the merchants of this place, towards paying the debts of the town; as for one loof per last, out of which the poor-houses being maintained, and salaries of the clergy and schoolmasters paid, I cannot exactly trace the origin, being however sure that no change has taken place in this tax within the last 50 years.

No fees and taxes on grain, besides those before mentioned, are payable at this place.

To Sir Daniel Bayley. (signed) *T. C. Girard.*

Enclosure E. 1. in N° 6.

Mr. Consul Kienitz to E. C. Disbrowe, Esq.

(Extract.)

Liebau, January 27th (February 8th) 1827.

I HAVE the honour to transmit an account of the Duties which have been imposed on the export and import of grain since 1809.

An impost of one per cent of the value is levied here (Liebau), under the denomination of town-dues, for the purpose of paying off the debt contracted before that time.

An account of the Charges attending the shipment of grain is annexed.

DUTIES on the EXPORTATION of GRAIN, with the Alterations in the following Years.

	1817.	1818.	1822.	1823.	1826.
	Cop.	Cop.	Cop.	Cop.	Cop.
Wheat, per chetivert - - - - - -	10	15	15	6	6
Rye - - d° - - - - - - -	8	11	12	3	3
Barley - d° - - - - - - -	6	11	15	5	3
Oats - - d° - - - - - - -	6	8	9	3	3
Pease - - d° - - - - - - -	10	11	3	3	3

DUTIES on the IMPORTATION of GRAIN, with the Alterations in the following Years.

	1816.	1819.	1822.	1826.
	Cop. Silver.	*Rs. Cop.*	*Cop.*	*Cop.*
Wheat, per chetivert - - - - - - -	15	2 0	15	18
Rye - - - d° - - - - - - - -	11	1 25	12	20
Barley - - d° - - - - - - - -	11	1 25	15	20
Pease - - - d° - - - - - - - -	11	2 25	3	20
Oats - - - d° - - - - - - - -	8	0 75	9	16

AN ACCOUNT of the EXPENSES attending the SHIPMENT of GRAIN from the Port of Liebau.

	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		PEASE.		OATS.	
	Sil. R.	*Cop.*	*Sil. R.*	*Cop.*	*Sil. R.*	*Cop.*	*Sil. R.*	*Cop.*	*Sil. R.*	*Cop.*
Duty, per last - - -	1	13	0	57	0	52	0	54	0	64
Entry, mattage, lalomage, screenings, &c. - - -	3	84	3	60	3	60	3	60	3	90
Per last in silver rouble - -	4	97	4	17	4	12	4	14	4	54

Town dues of - - 1 per cent of the value.
Brokerage - - ½ per cent.
Commission - - 2 per cent.

E. C. Disbrowe, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Francis Kienitz.*

Enclosure E. 2. in N° 6.

Mr. Consul Aiken to E. C. Disbrowe, Esq.

SIR, Archangel, 29th January (10th February) 1827.

IN immediate reply to your letter of the ⅓ instant, I have used all possible diligence in procuring the information you desired. The custom-house archives being incorrectly preserved here, I have availed myself of memoranda kept by Mr. Brandt, the leading merchant at this port, as to the local charges on grain, and now submit them to your consideration in as concise a form as the subject would admit of.

For several years previous to 1797 the exportation of grain had been prohibited; in that year it was again permitted to be exported; but to guard against the risk of any deficiency for home use, each shipper was bound to deposit in the government stores one fifth part of the quantity he entered for exportation.

In this state things remained till the year 1805, when the Emperor having granted a loan for the purpose of erecting corn warehouses, a tax of 25 cop. per chetivert was imposed on all wheat and rye exported, till the money so advanced should be repaid.

In 1817 the magistracy of Archangel, foreseeing that there would be a great export of grain, and anxious to liquidate the debt due to his Imperial Majesty as speedily as possible, raised the export duty on wheat and rye to one roub. per chetivert, which they continued at that rate till the year 1821, when it was again reduced to 25 copecks per chetivert on all wheat and rye exported, and 10 copecks per chetivert on oats and barley.

These are the only local taxes that grain is at present subject to; nor can I learn that for many years back there have been any other duties imposed. In 1818, indeed, a new duty of 12 per cent ad valorem, under the denomination of "Town Dues," was imposed on all goods exported and imported, but does not therefore attach to grain exclusively.

I have thus only to add, that the Russian measure called a chetivert is equal to 5¾ English bushels; that 25 cop. are the 4th part of a rouble; that in 1805 the average rate of exchange on London was 33 pence sterling per rouble, 1817 12 pence, and in 1821 9¾ to 10 pence per rouble.

I am, &c.

(signed) *A. H. Aiken.*

Edward C. Disbrowe, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

—N° 7.—

Mr. Consul Durie to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, British Consulate, Christiana, 30th January 1827.

IN reply to your despatch of the 15th December, enclosing a copy of an address from the House of Lords to His Majesty, of the 29th November last, and directing me to furnish a Statement of the laws relative to the export and import of Grain in this country, with any alterations that have taken place therein, and in the duties imposed on grain, during the last 50 years;—I have the honour to observe, no home-grown corn of any description is ever exported from Norway, but a large quantity, in comparison with the population of the country, is yearly imported. It would indeed appear, that neither the late Danish government nor the present Norwegian have contemplated the possible case of any one attempting to export Norwegian corn, as there is no law prohibiting or regulating such exportation, nor is there any export duty. A transit duty is, however, said on foreign corn re-exported from this country, which is $\frac{1}{10}$th of the import duty.

The enclosed table shows the import duty on the four kinds of grain consumed in this country, with the alterations that have taken place in the amount of duty during the last 30 years, which is as far back as I have been able to collect any certain information on that head.

I am, &c.

(signed) *Charles Durie.*

John Bidwell, Esq. &c.

Enclosure in N° 7.

STATEMENT of the DUTIES imposed on the Import of GRAIN in Norway, during the last Thirty Years.

THE law of the Danish government of the 1st of February 1797, fixed the import duty as follows:

	sk.		s.	d.	
Wheat, per tonde or barrel	35	Which, at the ruling exchange of 5 dollars Danish per £. sterling, is	2	4	per quarter,
Rye - - - -	18½		1	2¾	—
Barley - - - -	14½		0	11½	—
Oats - - - -	10½		0	8½	—

The decree of the Danish government of the 21st October 1803, raised the import duty on grain and all other articles 12½ per cent.

The decree of the Danish government of 6th June 1806, raised, a second time, the import duty on grain and all other articles 12½ per cent.

The decree of the Norwegian government of the 7th of December 1818, fixed the import duty in species, Norwegian paper currency, which were then introducing,

	sk.		s.	d.	
Wheat, per tonde or barrel	60	Which at the mean of exchange during the years 1818, 1819, 1820, at 6 species per £. sterling, gives	3	4	per quarter.
Rye	45		2	6	—
Barley	30		1	8	—
Oats	20		1	1¼	—

The law published by the Norweigan government on the 25th August 1821 provided, that the import duty on corn and all other articles shall in future be paid in silver, at the following rate; viz. on

	sk.		s.	d.	
Wheat, per tonde or barrel	48	Shillings silver, which, at the exchange of 4⅓ species per £. sterling, gives	3	8¼	per quarter
Rye	36		2	9	—
Barley	24		1	10	—
Oats	16		1	2¾	—

GRAIN (FOREIGN COUNTRIES.)

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N° 1.

Sir Henry Wellesley to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Vienna, 30th January 1827.

ON the 17th instant, I had the honour of receiving Mr. Planta's circular despatch, dated the 15th of December 1826, desiring that a Statement should be procured, and transmitted to you, of the laws relative to the Export and Import of Grain; and also a Statement of the alterations that have taken place in the export and import of Grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last 50 years, either by law or by proclamation, or by any other means.

I have addressed myself to the Austrian government for the purpose of obtaining the information required by the House of Lords, but I am apprehensive that such statements as can be furnished will be found to be very imperfect, for the following reasons:—

There is no fixed and permanent law for the importation and exportation of grain, which have always been regulated by orders issued from the government, which have been prolonged or altered, or have given place to fresh orders, as circumstances might seem to require.

These orders seldom apply to all the provinces of which the Austrian monarchy is composed. The regulations for Hungary and for the Italian States, are entirely distinct from those for the German Provinces; Hungary, indeed, with relation to the exportation of grain to Austria, Bohemia, Moravia, &c., and its importation from those provinces, has frequently been treated as a foreign country.

In order to procure the statements required by the House of Lords, the local governments in the provinces must be referred to, and even supposing (which seems to be doubtful) that exact registers of the transactions respecting grain are kept, the researches necessary to furnishing the information required will probably occupy several months.

I have the honour, &c.

The Right Hon. George Canning, &c. &c. &c. (signed) H. WELLESLEY.

N° 2.

Viscount Granville to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Paris, 2d Feb. 1827.

REFERRING to a despatch from Mr. Planta of the 15th December last, which contains your directions to me to collect and transmit the information required by the House of Lords, in their address to His Majesty of the 29th November, I have now the honour to forward to you a collection of all the laws which have passed in France relative to the Import and Export of Grain since the year 1763, together with an analysis of those laws.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Right Hon. George Canning, &c. &c. &c. (signed) GRANVILLE.

Enclosure.

ANALYSIS of the LAWS passed in FRANCE, from 1763 to 1826, relative to the IMPORTATION and EXPORTATION of CORN and FLOUR.

DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
1763—26th March. Edict of the Council of State on the report of the Comptroller General, Berlin.	Establishment of a duty of 6 sous per quintal on flour imported in measures of three bushels (minot), or in casks (futailles), with a power of bonding for six months without duty, on its importation or exportation at 22 specified ports.	Establishment of a duty of 1 sou per quintal on flour in measures of three bushels French, or on that of foreign corn taken out of bond.
1763—21st November. Idem.	Extension of privilege granted on flour in measures of three bushels, and on all kinds of flour, of whatever nature or quality they may be.	The same extended to exportation.
1764—July. Edict of the King.	The importation of grain and flour declared free in every kind of vessel. Right of bonding extended to a year. Duty fixed at 1 per cent on wheat, 3 per cent on inferior grain.	Exportation declared free at 27 specified ports, but only in French vessels, of which the captain and two thirds of the crew are French. Duty fixed at a half per cent on all grain and flour. Permission to export suspended when, in any port or frontier town, the price of wheat has been for three successive markets at 12 d. 12 sous the quintal, as above.
	Remarks.—The greatest facility is accorded by this edict to commerce and to the internal circulation of grain. All the inhabitants, even the noble and privileged persons, may carry on this trade, or establish stores, unrestrained by any formality, and without being subjected to any duty on account of this commerce: the strictest orders are given to all the authorities not to shackle the liberty of circulation in the interior.	
1764—7th November. Letters patent of the King.	The proportional duties of 1 and 2 per cent are fixed as follows: 1 sou 3d^s for wheat per quintal. 6s. for flour. 3 sous for oats per quintal. 2 sous 6 d^s per ditto, for rye, maize, &c. &c. 3s. 7 d^s on beans and other pulse, and grain. 3s. 6d^s, equivalent to 3 per cent per quintal, on seed of flax, rape seed, colias, and the like, used for making oil.	Proportional duties of half per cent are substituted by duties fixed as follows: 7½ - - wheat, per quintal. 1 sou - flour, per quintal. 6 sous - oats, d°. 5 d. - - rye, maize, buck-wheat, mixed corn, and other grain. 6 d. - - equivalent to 5 per cent per quintal, on seed of flax, rape seed, colias, and the like, used in making oil.
1768—11th October. Edict of the Council of State, on the report of the Compt. Gen. Maynon d'Juvern.	Importation encouraged by the bounty, and the diminution of duty regulated as follows: The bounty is from the 1st of November to the 1st of February 1769— 12 s. 6 d. per quintal on wheat. 6 s. 4 d. - - - on rye. 4 s. 2 d. - - - on barley and other small corn. Reduced from 1st of February to 1st August to 8 s. 4d. per quintal on wheat. 6 s. 8 d. - - - on rye. 3 s. 4 d. - - - on barley and other small corn. The duty on entrance fixed at 7½ d. per quintal, equivalent to ½ per cent of their value. All French or foreign vessels, in which the importation of corn is made, shall be free from duty on freight to the 1st of July 1769.	It will be lawful for those who have imported corn to re-export the same quantity, on restoring the bounty which they have received.
1770—14th July. Edict of the Council of State, on the report of the Abbé Servay, comptroller general.	The importation of corn, grain, and flour declared free for French and foreigners.	Exportation prohibited, except for imported grain, on producing the receipts of the entrance duties.
	Remarks.—General liberty given to establish warehouses of corn, to transport corn from province to province, and to sell it elsewhere than at market. All government officers forbidden positively to notice or impede the circulation of it.	

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DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
1774—13th Sept. Edict of the Council of State, on the report of Turgot, comptroller general of finance.	Importation of foreign corn declared free to foreigners as well as natives. Bounties are offered to those who transport foreign wheat to the places where the want of that commodity is felt.	The power of exporting French wheat suspended. Permission, however, granted to re-export, without duty, imported wheat.
	Remarks.—The government renounces all purchase of corn in future in its own name or in that of any public department; and the circulation of corn in the interior is freed from all official interference.	
1775—7th April. Edict of the Council of State, on the report of Turgot.	*Remarks.*—The clauses of the preceding decree are confirmed by this, which condemns the police officers at Rochelle for having unjustly searched the magazines of corn, hindered the sale of damaged grain, and checked the liberty of commerce by other like measures.	
1775—22d of April. Decree of the Council of State, on a report of Turgot.	*Remarks.*—This decree frees the interior circulation from all entry duties into the towns or markets.	
1775—24th April. Edict of the Council of State, on the report of Turgot.	Granted to all, inhabitants or foreigners, who import grain to France, from the 15th May to the 1st August 1775, the bounty of 18s. per quintal for wheat. 12s. - - for rye. All French or foreign vessels importing grain to France, shall be exempted from duties on freight, from whatever country they come.	The exportation of imported wheat and rye is permitted, on returning the bounty.
	Remarks.—A particular bounty is granted to those who bring corn or rye to Paris or Lyons, independent of the bounty already accorded at the ports. At Paris it is 20 *s.* per quintal for wheat. 15 s. - - - - rye. At Lyons - 25 s. - - - for wheat. 15 s. - - - - rye.	
1775—8th May. Edict of the Council of State, on the report of Turgot.	The bounty on importation is extended to those who import grain by land into Alsace, Loviaine, and the three bishopricks, from the 15th May to the 1st of August. It is fixed at 15 sous per quintal for wheat. 12 - - - for rye. 18 - - - for wheat flour. 15 - - - for rye flour.	The re-exportation of foreign imported wheat and rye is permitted on returning the bounty.
1787—17th June. Proclamation of the King.	- - - - - - - - - -	Exportation declared free for ever, without regard to the price of wheat in the interior.
	Remarks.—The true principles of political economy, as regards exportation, are established by this declaration, as those relative to importation and interior circulation were by decree of council, 13th September 1774.	
1788—23d November. Edict of the Council of State.	Importation of wheat from the United States of America is encouraged by a bounty granted to the importers, whether natives or foreigners, from the 15th February to the 30th June 1789, as follows: 30 sous per quintal for wheat. 40 - - - - flour. All vessels loaded with wheat or flour, imported from the United States of America, are exempt from the duty on freight.	
1789—22d August. Edict of the Parliament of Nancy.	- - - - - - - - - -	Exportation is prohibited under pain of confiscation of the provisions and carriages in which they were conveyed, 3,000 livres penalty, and corporal punishment.
	Remarks.—The obstacles to interior circulation are at the same time put again in force in the provinces: the dealers are obliged to declare their names and residences, and the situation of their warehouses; they must also give an account of the variation in their sales, and cannot buy or sell, under pain of destitution and penalty, except in specified markets.	

DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
1789—21st September. Edict of the Council of State, which sanctions a decree of the Constituent Assembly.	- - - - - - - - - - - *Remarks.*—The interior circulation is declared free.	Exportation forbidden under pain of being prosecuted as a disturber of the public tranquillity. The re-exportation of warehoused corn is alone authorized.
1789—27th September. Declaration of the King.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Confirming the preceding order of council.
1789—5th November. Proclamation of the King.	The following bounties granted to French or foreign merchants who import foreign grain from the 1st December to the 1st July 1790: 30s. per quintal for wheat, - 32 s. rye flour. 40s. - - wheat flour, - 20 s. barley. 26s. - - rye, - - 27 s. barley flr. Vessels importing these grains or flours are exempted from duty on freight.	
1789—27th November. Letters Patent of the King, confirming a Decree of the National Assembly.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation is prohibited: two-thirds of the produce of confiscated grain shall belong to the informer, or in his absence to the person making the seizure.
1790—21st September. Proclamation of the King on a Decree of the National Assembly.	- - - - - - - - - - - *Remarks.*—The free circulation of corn in the interior is maintained and guaranteed.	Confirming the clauses against exportation.
1790—17th November. Law in conformity to a Decree of the National Assembly.	- - - - - - - - - - -	The re-exportation of warehoused foreign grain, flour and pulse, is permitted.
1790—19th November. Law in conformity to a Decree of the National Assembly.	*Remarks.*—The grain and flour belonging to the nation, which is stored in various warehouses, is to be sold before the 1st of December.	
1792—3d February. Law in conformity to a Decree of the National Assembly.	*Remarks.*—Different local measures are prescribed for ensuring that the grain embarked from one port of France for another French port, should not be exported to foreign countries.	
1792—17th September. Law of the National Assembly.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of grain and forage, coming from the estates of foreigners situated in France, is forbidden during the continuance of the war. Foreigners to sell the produce of their lands in France, whether by private contract, or according to the current price.
1792—1st year of Revolution, 2d Dec. Decree of the National Convention.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of corn is punished by death.
1793—2d year of Do. 1st February. Decree of the National Convention.	Twenty-five millions placed at the disposition of the Minister of the Interior for the purchase of foreign grain.	
1793—2d of Do. 3d February. Decree of the National Convention.	The Minister of the Interior is authorized to make purchases of foreign corn in the three free ports of the Republic.	

DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
1793—2d year of Revolution, 1st March. Decree of the National Convention.	The freight duty of 7 d. 10 sous per ton is suspended, during the time of war, on Genevese, Tuscan, Roman, Venetian and Ragusian vessels, employed in the importation of foreign corn into France	
1793—2d of Do. 6th September. Decree of National Convention.	All vessels loaded with foreign corn will be received in France.	
1793—2d of Do. 11th September. Decree of the National Convention.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation prohibited, under pain of ten years imprisonment for the captain of the vessel freighted for the exportation of corn. Orders given to all competent authorities to bring in in immediately, by force, all corn and forage in the ports or vessels, and to send it to the distance of six leagues from the coast or frontier. No depôt can be established otherwise than at that distance from the coast or frontier.
	Remarks.—The same decree establishes a maximum for the price of corn and for the price of carriage: it requires of the proprietors and dealers an exact declaration of the quantity of corn they possess, and authorizes the administration to order those whom they may select, to send to market a certain stated quantity of their merchandize.	
2d of Do. 2d *Germinal.* Decree of the National Convention.	Corn imported from foreign countries is subjected to a maximum, to which will be added the expense of carriage, but only for a distance of 10 leagues; the excess of the expense of carriage is to be paid by the nation.	
3d of Do. 19th *Brumaire.* Law of the National Convention.	*Remarks.*—New rate of maximum for corn, and for the manner of buying and selling.	
5th of Do. 26th *Ventose.* Law made by the Council of Ancients, and promulgated by the Executive Directory.	- - - - - - - - - - -	The exorbitant penalties imposed by the Convention on exportation are mitigated, and replaced by confiscation and forfeits.
5th of Do. 22 *Thermidor.* Law made by the Council of Ancients, and promulgated by the Executive Directory.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of maize or indian corn and beans, permitted on paying a duty of 15 c. per 5 myriagrammes, or 3 s. per quintal.
5th of Do. 3d *Jour Complementaire.* Law of the Council of Ancients, promulgated by the Executive Directory.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Preceding law, which permitted the exportation of maize and beans, revoked.
7th of Do. 17 *Prairial.* Decree of the Directory.	*Remarks.*—Ordered, that the depôts placed at five rilometres from the frontiers shall be destroyed, and that the wheat and flour should be collected on this side, to impede fraudulent exportation.	

DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
12th of the Revolution. 25 *Prairial.* Imperial Decree.	- - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of wheat, rye, maize, and other grain, permitted to 21 specified towns, for Spain, Portugal, Germany and Holland, with the following duties :— 1 f. for 5 myriagrammes wheat flour. 50 c. - - - - rye and other grain. Exportation suspended when, during three successive markets, the price of wheat of the first quality shall be maintained at 16 f. the hectorolite in the departments of the west and north ; at 20 f. in the department of the south.
13th of Do. 5 *Nivose.* Imperial Decree.	- - - - - - - - - -	Exportation permitted to the Electorate of Hanover, to five appointed towns, under the conditions presented by the preceding decree. It shall be suspended when, during three successive markets, the price of wheat of the first quality shall be maintained at 16 f. the hectorolite at the nearest place of exportation.
13th of Do. 1 *Pluviose.* Imperial Decree.	- - - - - - - - - -	The re-exportation of corn, flour and pulse, imported from abroad, permitted without duty, on paying the entrance duties.
13th of Do. 9 *Pluviose.* Imperial Decree.	- - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of rice allowed to the 27th Military Division, on payment of a duty of 16 f. 50 c. on every 5 myriagrammes.
13th of Do. 6 *Messidor.* Imperial Decree.	Corn imported into the three departments of Genoa, Montenole, and the Appenines, through the Custom-house Office of the 7th Military Division, and the States of Parma, is exempt from the duty of 2 f. per quintal metrique.	Exportation to foreign countries of grain and flour existing in the three departments of Genoa, Montenole, and the Appenines, forbidden. Re-exportation of imported corn permitted only from the 7th Military Division and the States of Parma.
1812—8th May. Imperial Decree.	*Remarks.*—A new maximum fixed for corn. It is 33 fs. the hectorolite for the departments of the Seine, Seine and Oise, Seine and Marne, Aisne, Oise, Eure and Loire, and in all those where the crops suffice for the consumption : it will be decided by the prefects of departments who furnish provisions out of their own districts.	
1814—26th July. Ordinance of the King.	- - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of corn, flour and pulse, provisionally permitted at the ports and frontiers.
	Remarks.—The king announces his intention of proposing a law to the Chambers for the regulation of this matter.	
1814—2d Dec. Law adopted by the Chamber.	The laws in favour of importation and circulation are continued.	Exportation of corn, flour and pulse, declared free, without any other duty on its exit than that required for weighing it. The following limits are fixed to the power of exporting :— The frontier departments are divided into three classes, according to the usual price to which corn rises there. Exportation suspended when the best wheat has risen to the price of 23 f. the hectorolite for the department of the 1st class. 21 f. - - - - - 2d - d°. 19 f. - - - - - 3d - d°.
1814—13th Dec. Ordinance of the king.	*Remarks.*—Classes the frontier departments according to the preceding law, and appoints an office for exportation.	

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DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
1815—3d August. Ordinance of the king.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of corn, flour and pulse, provisionally suspended, on account of the occupation of the allied troops.
1816—28th April. Law of Finance.	The importation of corn and flour of all kinds is subjected to a duty of 50 c. the quintal metrique. Importation of rice subjected to the following duties :— 4 f. the 100 kilogrammes when coming from Piedmont by land, or from the Mediterranean in French vessels. 2 f. the d° - d° - from other countries of Europe in French vessels. 1 f. the d° - d° - in d° - d°. 7 f. the d° - d° - in foreign vessels, or by land.	Exportation of hay and forage is permitted, on payment of a duty of 10 c. the quintal metrique.
1819—20th January. Law.	- - - - - - - - - - -	Exportation of flour allowed on condition of importing, by the same ports and custom-house, 5 quintaux of foreign corn, of the same kind, but of the first quality, on every 3 quintaux of exported flour.
1819—16th July. Law.	The duty of 50 c. on imported foreign corn and flour is changed into a permanent duty of 1 f. 25 c. per hectorolite of corn, and 2 f. 50 c. per quintal metrique of flour, reduced, if imported in French vessels, to 25 c. the hectorolite of corn, 50 c. the quintal metrique of flour. Every diminution of a franc in these last prices causes an augmentation of a franc on imported corn, in addition to the above duties. In these two cases the quintal metrique of flour will pay, independently of the permanent duty, three times the amount of the supplementary duties imposed on the hectorolite of corn. Importation suspended when the price of best wheat shall fall below 20 frs. in the dep. of the 1st class, 18 frs. in the 2d, and 16 frs. in the 3d. These same regulations apply to corn and flour of rye and maize, when the price shall fall below 17 frs. the hectorolite in the depts. of the 1st class, 15 frs. in the 2d, 13 frs. in the 3d. Every diminution in price will augment, by a franc, the duties on imported rye and maize. Importation suspended when the same rye and maize shall sell below 14 frs. for the depts. of the 1st class, 12 frs. for the 2d d°, 10 frs. for the 3d d°.	The re-exportation of warehoused grain is declared free at all times. The exportation of French grain will be suspended when wheat shall rise to 23 fs. in depts. of the 1st class. 21 fs. - - - - - - 2d - d°. 19 fs. - - - - - - 3d - d°.
1819.—6th October. Ordinance of the king.	- - - - - - - - - - -	The exportation of grain, flour, biscuit, pulse and forage, is re-established, with the limits fixed by the preceding law ; and the order which prohibited it on account of the occupation of France by the allied troops is revoked.
1820—7th June. Law on the Customs.	GRAIN : For French vessels — 25 c. the hectorolite, coming from the country where it grew. 1 f. 25 c. coming from elsewhere. GRAIN : For Foreign d° — 2 fs. 50 c. when liable to the collection of the proportional duty. 1 f. 25 c. when not. FLOUR : For French vessels — 50 c. per kilogrammes, coming from the country where it grew. 2 fs. 50 c. from elsewhere. FLOUR : For Foreign d° — 5 fs. when liable to the collection of the proportional duty. 2 fs. 50 c. when not liable.	

DATES.	IMPORTATION.	EXPORTATION.
1821—4th July. Law.	A new division of 4 classes is made in the departments for importation. The 1st supplementary duty fixed on imported corn, by the law of the 16th July 1819, shall be levied when home-grown wheat is at the price of 26 f. for the 1st department. 24 f. for the 2d d°. 22 f. for the 3d d°. 20 f. for the 4th d°. The 2d supplementary duty shall be levied when below this price. Importation shall be suspended in the departments of each of the 4 classes, when home-grown wheat shall fall below 24 f. for the 1st class. 22 f. - - 2d d°. 20 f. - - 3d d°. 18 f. - - 4th d°. The same regulations apply to grain and flour of rye and maize, when the price has fallen to 19 f. the hectorolite for the 1st class. 17 f. - - - - 2d d°. 15 f. - - - - 3d d°. 13 f. - - - - 4th d°. The importation of rye and maize is suspended in each of the four classes when the price has fallen to— 16 f. the hectorolite, 1st class. 14 f. - - - 2d d°. 12 f. - - - 3d d°. 10 f. - - - 4th d°.	Same division of 6 classes for exportation. Exportation of wheat suspended when the price of home-grown wheat has risen to 25 f. the hectorolite in departments of 1st class. 23 f. - - - 2d class. 21 f. - - - 3d class. 19 f. - - - 4th class.
1820—23d October. Ordinance of the King.	Declares that by the countries called Pays de production, in the law of the 7th June 1820, and from which the grain imported in French vessels is subject to the lesser duties, is understood the ports of the Black Sea, of Egypt, of the Baltic, of the White Sea, and of the United States of America.	
1823—17th Sept. Ordinance of the King.	- - - - - - - - -	The ordinance of the 20th January 1819, which permitted the exportation of French flour on importing their value in foreign grain, is revoked.
1825—5th June. Law.	*Remarks.*—Fictitious warehousing abolished, and replaced by a three years' warehousing in the ports and frontier towns specified for the commerce of grain.	

N° 3.

Mr. Consul General Morier to Mr. Secretary Canning.

British Consulate General, Paris,
SIR, 19th Jan. 1827.

I HAVE the honour to inform you, that I have, according to your orders, conveyed to me by Mr. Bidwell, in his despatch dated December 15th, 1826, (Circular,) used my best endeavours to procure the information concerning the laws relative to the export and import of Grain, as required by the House of Lords in their address, a copy of which was enclosed in the above-mentioned despatch.

I am sorry to say, that I have not been able to obtain from the French Minister of the Interior, an official "Statement of the alterations that have taken place in the export and import of Grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years, whether by law, proclamation, or any other means;" but on my application to that administration, I was referred to a book, intituled, "Essai sur la Legislation des Grains jusqu'à ce jour, par le Chevalier Chaillou des Barres, 1820", as containing the most correct and authentic account thereof, together with two laws, the one "relative aux grains," dated 16th Juillet 1819,* the other "relative à l'exportation des grains," dated 4th Juillet 1821*, which I have already had the honour to transmit to the Foreign Department on a former occasion, and to which reference is made in the monthly returns of the average prices I am instructed to send home.

I have, &c.

The Right Hon. George Canning, &c. &c. &c. (signed) *D. R. Morier.*

N° 4.

Mr. Consul Turnbull to John Bidwell, Esq.

British Consulate, Marseilles,
SIR, 31st Jan. 1827.

IN obedience to the instructions contained in your circular despatch of the 15th December, received the 9th of this month, enclosing an address from the House of Lords, and requesting me, by direction of Mr. Secretary Canning, to transmit, with all convenient speed, the information therein required, namely, a Statement of the laws relative to the export and import of Grain in the kingdom of France; and also a statement of the alterations that have taken place therein, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years, whether by law, by proclamation, or by any other means;—

I have the honour of transmitting to you, enclosed a Statement of the information thus required, which I have compiled with the greatest care; and I have endeavoured to make as full and as complete as possible.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Alex. Turnbull.*

Enclosure in N° 4.

STATEMENT of the LAWS relative to the EXPORT and IMPORT of GRAIN in the kingdom of FRANCE: and also a Statement of the alterations that have taken place in the regulations with regard to the export and import of grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years, whether by law, by proclamation, or by any other means.

THE first essential regulation on the subject, about the commencement of the period of this return, was the Order in Council of Louis XVI., dated 13th September 1774, and enregistered by the Parliament of Paris, on the 19th December following. At that time the importation of corn into France was permitted, and the

* See Statement, Enclosure in No. 4, from Mr. Consul Turnbull.

the exportation prohibited. The order did not change the existing legislation; but, among other interesting articles, it contains the following:

" Art. 4. Désirant encourager l'introduction des blés étrangers dans ses états, et assurer ce secours à ses peuples, Sa Majesté permit à tous ses sujets, et aux étrangers qui auront fait entrer des grains dans le royaume, d'en faire telles destinations et usages que bon leur semblera, même de les faire ressortir, sans payer aucun droit, en justifiant que les grains sortans sont les mêmes qui ont été apportés de l'étranger. Se reservant, au surplus, Sa Majesté de donner des marques de sa protection speciale à ceux de ses sujets qui auront fait venir des blés étrangers dans les lieux du royaume où le besoin s'en serait fait sentir. N'entendant Sa Majesté statuer quant à present, et jusqu' à ce que les circonstances soient devenus plus favorables sur la liberté de la vente hors du royaume."

The exportation continued to be prohibited by the decrees and laws of the existing governments of France, under dates of the 29th August 1789, 18th September 1790, 5th December 1792, 27th September 1795, 16th February 1797, establishing different penalties on the infringement of the law, which it is unnecessary here to recapitulate.

The laws against the exportation of corn were considerably modified by the imperial decree of 14th June 1804, which permitted the exportation to Spain, Portugal, Germany and Holland, by different sea-ports and frontier towns therein specified, on payment of an export duty of one franc per five myriagrammes of wheat. The exportation was to cease as soon as the average price of wheat of the first quality rose to 16 francs per hectolitre in the southern departments of the empire.

This legislation continued, with some trifling variations, arising from local causes resulting from the extension of the empire, until the return of the Bourbons to France.

By his ordonnance of the 16th July 1814, Louis XVIII. allowed the free exportation of corn provisionally, until a law should be passed to regulate definitively the manner and conditions under which the exportation should be carried on; on the 2d December following this law was promulgated, which is to the following effect:

" Art 1. L'exportation des grains, farines et légumes, provisoirement permise par l'ordonnance du 26 Juillet dernier, reste définitivement authorisée, aux conditions et sous les reserves exprimées dans les articles suivants.

" Art 2. Pour cette exportation, les départemens frontières de la France seront partagées en trois classes. Dans le première seront compris les départemens où les grains sont habituellement plus chers que dans le reste du royaume. Dans la seconde, ceux où ils se maintiennent à un prix moyen; et dans la dernière classe, ceux où ils sont ordinairement au prix le moins élevé.

" Art. 3. Les grains farines, et légumes, à leur sortie de France, ne seront assujettis qu'au simple droit de balance.

" Art. 4. L'exportation des grains, farines, et légumes sera suspendue dans chaque département frontière, lorsque le blé froment y aura atteint le prix de 23 francs l'hectolitre pour la premièr classe, de 21 f. pour la seconde, et de 19 f. pour la troisième.

" Art. 5. La suspension ne sera levée que lorsque les prix seront descendus au dessous des limites fixées dans l'article précédent, et d'après un ordre de notre Ministre, Sécrétaire d'Etat de l'Intérieur."

Art. 6, 7, and 8, fix the mode by which the average prices of corn are to be ascertained and published.

" Art. 9. Il n'est point dérogé aux lois relatives à l'importation en France des grains, farines, et légumes, provenant de l'étranger, et à la circulation des subsistances dans l'intérieur.

An ordonnance of the 18th December 1814, specifies the departments which should enter into each of the three classess formed by the 2d Article of the above law.

A few months after Napoleon returned to France, and circumstances requiring that a limit should be placed to the exportation of corn, he provisionally suspended the exportation by the frontiers from Bayonne to Dunkirk, by his decree of 31st May 1815. This provisional suspension was confirmed, and made general throughout France, by an ordonnance of Louis XVIII. of the 3d August 1815.

On the 28th April 1816, a law was passed, establishing a permanent duty of 50 centimes per quintal metrique, on all corn and flour imported from abroad.

An ordonnance of the king of 7th August 1816, removes this duty of 50 centimes per quintal metrique, aud admits corn into France without any duty.

An ordonnance of the 22d November gives further encouragement to the importation of corn, and allows a premium of five francs per quintal metrique on all wheat and flour imported after the 15th December. This premium was to cease on the 1st of September 1817, but was afterwards extended, and finally ceased on the 16th May 1818.

The exportation of flour was allowed by an ordonnance of the 20th January 1819, but on the sole condition that a quantity of foreign wheat of the same kind, and first quality, should have been previously imported for the consumption of France, in the proportion of 5 quintals of grain to 3 quintals of flour.

On the 4th of March 1819, all the laws and ordonnances which allowed the import of foreign grain were revoked; and the previous enactments of the law of the 28th April 1816, imposing a duty of 50 centimes per quintal metrique on all corn and flour imported from abroad, were restored.

This law was itself modified by that of the 16th July 1819, of which I shall give as follows the principal articles:—

"Art. 1. Le droit permanent de cinquante centimes par quintal métrique, établi par la loi du 28 Avril 1816, sur les grains et farines importés de l'étranger, est converti en un droit également permanent, d'un franc vingt-cinq centimes par hectolitre de grains, et de deux francs cinquante centimes par quintal métrique de farine. Ce droit sera reduit à 25 centimes par hectolitre de grains, et à cinquante centimes par quintal métrique de farine, lorsque l'importation aura lieu par navires Français.

"Art. 2. Lorsque le prix des blés fromens indigènes sera descendu au taux de 23 francs dans les départemens compris dans la première classe, etablie par l'ordonnance de 14 Decembre 1814, rendue en exécution de la loi du 2 Decembre du même année; à celui de 21 francs dans les départemens compris dans la seconde classe; à celui de 19 francs dans les départemens compris dans la troisième; les blés fromens étrangers importés dans ces départemens paieront, indépendamment du droit permanent, un droit supplementaire d'un franc par hectolitre, sans distinction de pavillon.

"Art. 3. Lorsque le prix des blés fromens indigènes sera descendu au-dessous des taux mentionnés dans l'article précédent, chaque franc de diminution donnera lieu, indépendamment du droit permanent et du droit supplementaire reglé par l'article 2, à un nouveau droit supplementaire d'un franc par hectolitre, et également sans distinction de pavillon.

"Art. 4. Dans les cas prévus par les articles 2 et 3, le quintal métrique de farine de grains venant de l'étranger paiera, indépendamment du droit permanent, le triple des droits supplementaires imposés sur l'hectolitre de grains.

"Art. 5. Lorsque le prix des blés fromens indigènes sera tombé au-dessous de 20 francs dans les départemens compris dans la première classe établie par l'ordonnance du 14 Decembre 1814; au-dessous de 18 francs dans les départemens de la seconde classe; et au-dessous de 16 francs dans les départemens de la troisième classe; toute introduction de blés, et de farine de blés étrangères, pour la consommation nationale, sera prohibée dans les dits départemens."

Art. 6, 7, and 8, fix the mode by which in future the averages are to be taken in the three classes, and to be published.

"Art. 9. A l'avenir les prix moyens arrêtés et publiés conformément à la presente loi serviront à régler la suspension de l'exportation dans les différentes sections indiquées au tableau qui y est annexé. Ils remplaceront ceux qui devaient être dressés en executiou des articles 6 et 7 de la loi du 2 Decembre 1814, lesquels sont abrogés."

By an ordonnance of the 6th October 1819, the Ordonnance of the 3d August 1815, prohibiting the exportation of grain, was repealed, and the exportation consequently allowed, under the provisions of the law of the 2d December 1814, amended by Article 9, of that of the 16th July 1819.

The law of the 7th June 1820 changes the permanent duty fixed by the law of the 16th July 1819, to the following, by French ships:—

fr. 0. 25 cts. per hectolitre of grain - -	when imported from places of
0. 50 – per quintal metrique of flour	production.
fr. 1. 25 cts. per hectolitre of grain - -	when imported from other
2. 50 – per q^{l} metrique of flour - -	places.

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The places of production were established, by the ordonnance of 23d October 1820 to be—

The ports of the Black Sea, of Egypt, of the Baltic, of the White Sea, and of the United States of America. The intent of this change of the law was, by allowing an advantage to the importation of wheat brought from distant countries, to encourage French navigation. By the same law, the duty on grain brought from any place by foreign ships was raised to

f. 2 50 c. per hectolitre of wheat,
5 0 per quintal metrique of flour,

if imported under the proportionate duty; but if not, then the permanent duty of

f. 1 25 c. per hectolitre of wheat,
2 50 per quintal metrique of flour,

remained in force.

On the 4th July 1821, a law was passed to amend the existing legislation, relative to the importation and exportation of grain: the following are the principal articles:

"Art. 1. Les départemens frontières de la France, partagés en trois classes pour l'exportation des grains en vertu de la loi du 2 Decembre 1814, seront devisées en quatre classes, conformément au tableau-ci annexé.

"Art. 2. L'exportation des grains, farines, et légumes, sera suspendue dans chaque classe lorsque les blés fromens indigènes y auront dépassé de deux francs le prix fixé par l'article suivant comme limite pour l'importation.

"Art. 3. Lorsque le prix des blés fromens indigènes sera descendu au-dessous de 24 francs, dans les départemens de la première classe, de 22 francs dans la seconde, de 20 francs dans la troisième, et de 18 francs dans la quatrième, toute introduction de blés étrangers, pour la consommation nationale, sera prohibée dans les dits départemens.

"Art. 4. Le droit supplémentaire imposé par l'article 2. de la loi du 16th Juillet 1819, sur les blés étrangers importés en France, sera perçu lorsque le prix des blés fromens indigènes sera descendu dans la première classe à 26 francs, dans la seconde classe à 24 francs, dans la troisième à 22 francs, et dans la quatrième à 20 francs.

"Art. 5. Le second droit supplémentaire imposé par l'article 3. de la même loi de 1819, sera perçu conformément à cet article, lorsque le prix des blés fromens indigènes sera descendu, dans chaque classe, au-dessous du taux indiqué par l'article précédent.

"Art. 9. Les lois du 2 Decembre 1814, du 16 Juillet 1819, et du 7 Juin 1820, relatives à l'importation et à l'exportation des grains et farines, continueront de recevoir leur exécution en tout ce qui n'est pas contraire à la présente."

An ordonnance of 17th November 1823 repeals that of the 20th January 1819, permitting the exchange of foreign wheat against flour, as it was found to give rise to many frauds and abuses.

These are all the principal laws and ordonnances relative to the importation and exportation of grain in the kingdom of France, from the year 1774 up to the present time. In virtue of their provisions the importation of foreign corn for the consumption of France has been prohibited since the year 1819, and the exportation of corn from France has been allowed from the same period; and such is the actual state of the law.

Alex. Turnbull.

Marseilles, 30th Jan. 1827.

N° 5.

J. R. Milbanke, Esquire, to the Marquess of Clanricarde.

My Lord, Frankfort, 23d Jan. 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's dispatch of the 15th December 1826, requesting me to furnish information as to the state of the laws existing in this part of Germany, with respect to the exportation and importation of corn, and of the duties imposed thereupon.

In obedience to your commands, I have the honour to inform your Lordship, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, that there does not exist in the territory

of Frankfort any law against the exportation or importation of any kind of grain; there is a trifling duty exacted upon the landing of corn in the town of Frankfort, which amounts to something less than 6*d.* per quarter. This duty, your Lordship must understand, is payable only upon what is intended for consumption in the town; for no duty whatever is demanded upon grain which is intended for exportation.

I am given to understand, that the same regulations with respect to the exportation and importation of corn exist in the neighbouring states, with the exception of one or two which border upon the Mayne, who have lately established a sort of toll upon vessels carrying corn down that river, on entering their territories; this toll is however very trifling.

Most of the corn grown in this part of the country is conveyed by water to Mayence, and from thence to Cologne; but your Lordship will perceive, from the enclosed statement of the quantity of grain exported and imported into Mayence during the last six months, that the exports are by no means considerable.

I have been informed by persons who are well acquainted with the agricultural state of the neighbouring country, that there is at present a great surplus of corn in the hands of the farmers, which owing to the smallness of the demand and the lowness of the prices, is not brought into the market.

I have not been able to ascertain, nor indeed to form any idea of the quantity to which this surplus amounts. I should however conceive that my informants spoke only with comparative reference to the quantity of corn which is now actually brought forward to supply the demand.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Most Noble
The Marquess of Clanricarde,
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *J. R. Milbanke.*

Enclosure in N° 5.

STATEMENT of the QUANTITIES OF GRAIN, &c. imported into Mayence from July 1st to December 31st, 1826.

	* Number of Matters of different kinds of Grain, &c. imported.										
	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Spelt.	Pigeon Beans.	Pease.	Millet.	Poppy.	Beans.	TOTAL.
Down the Rhine -	7,755	1,653	10,767	6,716	- -	53	13	2,638	619	4	30,218
Down the Mayne -	4,439	1,079	1,188	19,122	- -	2,080	1,702	394	490	782	31,276
Down the Necker -	—	417	899	18,378	- -	5	93	699	130	31	20,652
Imported by land and exported by water -	7,248	4,546	7,566	656	1,180	- -	9	- -	63	29	21,297
Sold in the market at Mayence - -	19,943	6,045	4,020	5,035	3,639	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	38,682
Total - -	39,385	13,740	24,440	49,907	4,819	2,138	1,817	3,731	1,302	846	142,125

* Two Matters equal to about a Quarter.

N° 6.

Mr. Consul Ferrier to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, British Consulate, Rotterdam, 16th Jan. 1827.

YOUR letter of the 15th December last reached me on the 10th instant, communicating the desire of Mr. Secretary Canning to be furnished with "A Statement of the laws relative to the export and import of Grain in this kingdom; and also, a Statement of the alterations that have taken place in the regulations with regard to the export and import of Grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years, whether by law, by proclamation, or by any other means."

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In obedience thereto I have now to acquaint you, for Mr. Canning's information, that from the 31st July 1725 to the 1st December 1816, (with the exception of a temporary prohibition of exportation, from the 12th December 1799 to the 1st of April 1802, and further, of an interval of about three years, being from the beginning of 1811 to nearly the end of 1813, while this country formed a part of the French Empire, and governed by the French code, was included in the general blockade,) the export and import of grain was regulated in this country by a placat of their High Mightinesses the States General, dated the 31st July 1725, which imposed a duty only:—

INWARD,

On Wheat of	f. 6	0 cts.	per last of about 10 imperial quarters; equal at the approximate exchange of 12 francs per £. sterling to	1s. 2d. / 0s. 9d. / 0s. 7d. / 0s. 11½d. / 0s. 4d. / 0s. 11½d. / 1s. 6½d. — per imperial quarter.
Rye	4	0		
Barley	3	15		
Malt	5	0		
Oats	1	80		
Peas and Beans	5	0		
Buckwheat	8	0		

Up to the same period a local tax on measurement was levied *each* time that those articles passed into *different* hands; viz.

On Wheat	82½ cts.	per last; equal at 12 f. per £. sterling to	1¾d. / 1d. / 1d. / ⅘d. / 1d. / 1¼d. / 1d. — per imperial quarter.
Rye	55		
Barley	55		
Malt	41¼		
Oats	55		
Peas and Beans	82½		
Buckwheat	55		

By a law enacted by the States General on the 15th September 1816, the duty on grain, from the 1st December following, was fixed—

INWARD,

On Wheat	f. 6	30 cts.	per last; equal at 12 f. per £. sterling to	1s. 3d. / 0s. 10d. / 0s. 8d. / 1s. 1d. / 0s. 4¾d. / 1s. 1d. / 1s. 1d. / 1s. 7½d. — per imperial quarter.
Rye	4	50		
Barley	3	75		
Malt	5	50		
Oats	2	0		
Beans	5	50		
Peas	5	75		
Buckwheat	8	50		

And by the same law, the local tax on measurement was made payable on landing, and only *once*, as follows; viz.

On Wheat	f. 1 23¾ cts.	per last; equal at 12 f. per £. sterling to	2⅗d. / 1⅗d. / 1⅗d. / 1⅕d. / 1⅕d. / 1⅗d. / 2⅗d. — per imperial quarter.
Rye	0 82½		
Barley	0 82½		
Malt	0 61½		
Oats	0 82½		
Beans	0 82½		
Peas	1 23¾		

By a subsequent act of the States General, dated 12th May 1819, the *inward* duty was continued the same; but from the first July following a duty became payable also—

OUTWARD,

On Wheat, of	75 cts.	per last; equal at 12 f. per £. sterling to	1⅕d. / 1d. / ⅘d. / 1d. / ⅘d. / 1d. / 1d. — per imperial quarter.
Rye	50		
Barley	40		
Malt	50		
Oats	40		
Peas	50		
Beans	50		

The next law passed was dated the 26th of August 1822, in conformity with which, from the 1st of January 1823, the duties levied were:—

Inwards.		Outwards.		Inwards.	Outwards.	
On Wheat	f. 7 50 cts.	60 cts.	per last; equal at 12 f. per £. sterling to	1s. 5½d.	1⅖d.	per imperial quarter.
Rye	5 0	50		0s. 11¼d.	1d.	
Barley	4 50	40		0s. 10d.	⅘d.	
Malt	6 0	50		1s. 2d.	1d.	
Oats	2 50	40		0s. 5¾d.	⅘d.	
Peas	7 0	60		1s. 4d.	1⅕d.	
Beans	6 0	60		1s. 2d.	1⅕d.	

The tax on measurement having been withdrawn by the same act.

In the course of 1824 the land-owners and agriculturists of the southern or Belgic provinces petitioned the King of the Netherlands (with a view to protection) to prohibit the importation of foreign grain; but in lieu thereof, His Majesty, by a decree (or proclamation), dated the 3d October of that year, in anticipation of a law to be afterwards presented to the States General, in confirmation of that preliminary measure, ordered that *at* and *after* that date, security should be given for the payment of an *additional* duty upon the importation of the following articles; viz.

On Wheat of	f. 16 50 cts.	per last; equal at 12 f. per £. sterling to	3 *s.* 2 *d.*	per imperial quarter.
Rye	10 0		1 *s.* 11 *d.*	
Barley	7 50		1 *s.* 5½ *d.*	
Oats	4 50		0 *s.* 10 *d.*	

And which having been confirmed by an act of the legislature, on the 10th January 1825, the *whole* duties therefore, from the 3d of October preceding, to be levied, were as follows; viz.

	Inwards.	Outwards.		Inwards.	Outwards.	
On Wheat	f. 24	20 cts.	per last; equal at f. 12 per £. sterling to	4 *s.* 7 *d.*	⅖ *d.*	per imperial quarter.
Rye	15	15		2 *s.* 10½ *d.*	3/10 *d.*	
Barley	12	10		2 *s.* 4 *d.*	⅕ *d.*	
Oats	7	10		1 *s.* 4 *d.*	⅕ *d.*	

The duties on other articles continued to be levied on the same footing as previously stated.

The last act of the legislature concerning the import and export of grain, is dated the 24th March 1826, and its operation commenced from the 1st April last, whereby the duty now levied is—

	Inward.	Outward.		Inward.	Outward.	
On Wheat	f. 11 25 cts.	10 cts.	per 1,000 Netherland; equal at f. 12 per £. Sterling to	5 *s.* 1 *d.*	⅕ *d.*	per imperial quarter.
Rye	7 50	7½		4 *s.* 4 *d.*	⅕ *d.*	

The *Netherlands* weight is in the proportion of 49,409 to 100,000 of the old standard Amsterdam weight, of which last about

4,800 lbs. were generally estimated the weight of a last of wheat, and

4,000 lbs. the weight of a last of rye.

In addition to the foregoing duties, the Netherlands government levies a tax for the sinking fund, called "Syndicant," on all final contributions, varying annually, according to the budget or estimate of expenditure and ways and means, having been till now about 15 per cent. on the amount of duties, and which has been here included in the equivalent English rates.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Alex. Ferrier.*

N° 7.

Mr. Consul Larpent to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, Antwerp, 9th Feb. 1827.

IN reply to your letter of the 15th December last, containing the directions of Mr. Secretary Canning to transmit, in compliance with an address of the House of Lords to His Majesty of the 29th November 1826, a Statement of the laws relative to the export and import of Grain, &c. I have the honour to forward, enclosed,

No. 1.—A Statement of the laws which were in force at this port relative to the export and import of grain, since the opening of the Scheldt, in the year 1793.

No. 2—A Statement of the laws in force relative to the export and import of grain since the accession of His present Majesty to the kingdom of the Netherlands.

These laws are general; and I do not find that there are any other laws upon the foregoing subject, exclusively applicable to this port alone.

I have, &c.

(signed) *J. J. De Hochepied Larpent.*

First Enclosure in N° 7.

STATEMENT of the LAWS which are in force at the port of ANTWERP, relative to GRAIN, &c. since the opening of the Scheldt in 1793.

Arrêt du Conseil du Roi, du 21 Sept. 1789; portant sanction des décrets de l'Assemblée Nationale, des 29 Août et 18 Sept. 1789, pour ordonner la libre circulation des grains dans l'intérieure, et en defendre provisoirement l'exportations hors du royaume.

Art. 1. Que toute exportation de grains et farines à l'étranger, et toute opposition à leur vente et libre circulation dans l'intérieure du royaume, seront considerées comme des attentats contre la sureté et la securité du peuple, et qu'en consequence, ceux qui s'en rendront coupables seront poursuivis extraordinairement devant les juges ordinaires des lieux comme perturbateurs de l'ordre public.

Art. 2. Que ceux qui feront transporter des grains et farines dans l'etendue de trois lieues des frontières du royaume, autres néanmoins que les frontières maritimes, seront assujettés aux formalités prescrites pour les transports par mer, par l'art. 2. du décret du 29 Août dernier.

Art. 3. Porte qu'il faut une caution suffisante, ainsi qu'un certificat visé par la municipalité, pour effecteur le transport, et que faute de rapporter le dit certificat, une amende égale à la valeur des grains, &c. déclarés, sera payé par l'expediteur.

Art. 4. Que ceux qui contreviendront à l'art. 2. du décret du 29 Août, et à l'art. 3. ci-dessus, encourront la peine de la saisie des grains et farines et de leur confiscation, les frais de saisie et de vente prélevés au profit des hôpitaux des lieux; et sera, au surplus, la connoissance des contraventions prévues par les deux articles ci-dessus, attribuée aux juges ordinaires, lequels y statueront sommairement et sans frais.

Art. 5. Que néanmoins ceux qui auront importé dans le royaume des blés venant de l'étranger, et qui en auront fait constater l'introduction, la quantité, la qualité, et le depôt par les Municipalités des lieux, auront la liberté de les exporter, si bon leur semble, en se conformant aux règles et formalités établies pour les entrepôts.

(signé) *Stanislaus de Clermont Tonnerre*, President;
Des Champs, *l'Abbé d'Eymar*;
Bedou, *le Vicomte de Mirabeau*;
Henry de Longuère, *et* *Demeunier*, } Secrétaires.

La declaration du Roi, pour sanctioner et faire executer divers arrêtes de l'Assemblée Nationale, concernant la sortie et la circulation de grains, daté de Versailles, le 27 Septembre 1789, porte la repetition de l'arrêt ci-dessus.

(**) *Loi du Novembre* 1790.

L'Assemblée Nationale a decreté, et nous voulons et ordonnons ce qui suit:—

Décret de l'Assemblée Nationale du 11 Novembre 1790.

L'Assemblée Nationale, aprés avoir entendue son comité d'agriculture et de commerce, et la petition du Directoire de Département de la Gironde, décrete que toutes espèces de grains, farines, et légumes venant de l'étranger dans un port de France, tel qu'il soit, seront déclarés par entrepôt, et pourront être ré-exportés pour tel autre port de France ou de l'étranger qu'on voudra, à la charge par celui qui en fera la ré-exportation, de justifier par devant les officiers municipaux des lieux, que ce sont réellement les mêmes grains, farines, et légumes venant de l'étranger qu'il se propose de ré-exporter, en se conformant, au surplus, au décret du 18 Septembre 1789, qui concerne les formalités de Douane, &c.

Loi relative a la libre circulation des grains, farines, et légumes secs, dans l'etendu du territoire de la République, du 8 Decembre 1792.

Art. 1. L'exportation hors du territoire de la République de toutes espèces de grains, farines, et légumes secs, est expressément defendue à peine de mort, et confiscation, moitié au profit du denonciatur, moitié au profit des établissemens publics de bienfaisance; et les lois relatives à cet objet continueront d'être executées.

Loi sur la police du commerce des grains, et l'approvisionnement des marchés et des armes, 7 Vendemiaire, an 4.

La Convention Nationale, &c.

Art. 18. Les lois qui ont prohibée toute exportations de graines et farines de toute espèce, continueront d'être executées.

En consequence, tous transports de grains et farines surpris à la distance de 2 lieues en deça de frontières et des côtes maritimes, sans acquits à caution de la municipalité du proprietaire, seront confisqués, avec les voitures, bête de somme, et bâtimens qui les transporteraient, au profit de ceux qui les arrêteront; et il y aura peine de 2 années de fers contre les conducteurs et proprietaires contrevans.

(signé) *Enjubault.*

Loi qui prononce des peines contre l'exportation des graines ou farines; 26 Ventose, an 5.

Le Conseil des Anciens, adoptant les motifs de la declaration d'urgence qui précède la resolution ci-apres, approuve l'acte d'urgence (suit la teneur de la declaration d'urgence et de la resolution du 4 Ventose.)

Le Conseil des Cinq Cents, après avoir entendue le rapport de la commission chargée d'examiner le message du Directoire Exécutif, du 27 Vendemiaire dernier, relatif au subsistances, considerant que la riguer des peines prononcées par la loi du 7 Vendemiaire, an 4. contre l'exportation des grains, en rend l'application difficile, et qu'il est indispensable de les modifier, declare qu'il a urgence.

Le Conseil, après avoir declaré l'urgence, prend la resolution suivante.

Art. 1. La défense d'exportation des grains ou farines de toutes espèce, est maintenue.

Art. 2. Tout transport de grains ou farines, surpris de nuit, ou sans passavant, dans la distance de 5 kilomêtres (1 lieue) en deça des frontières de terre, et de 25 hectomêtres ($\frac{1}{2}$ lieue) des côtes maritimes, sera confisqué, avec les voitures, bêtes de somme, bestiaux ou navires, servant au transport.

Art. 3. Sont exceptés de la formalité du passavant les grains portés de Sour au moulin, et les farines en revenant, dont le poids n'excedera pas 6 myriagrammes (123 lb.)

Art. 6. Les conducteurs ou proprietaires, outre la confiscation prononcée par l'art. 2, seront condamnés par le Tribunal du Police Correctionelle, à une amend de dix francs par cinq myriagrammes (un quintal) de grains, et de douze francs par cinq myriagrammes (un quintal) de farine.

(signé) *P. A. Lalvy*, President;
Desmolin Collombel (de la Meurthe),
Bachelot, Hourier, Elvy, Secrétaires.

Arrête contenant des mesures pour empêcher l'exportation de grains et farines par la Meuse, l'Escaut, et le Rhin; 28 Germinal an 8.

Les Consuls de la République arrêtent ce qui suit:—

Art. 1. Les particuliers qui seront trouvés transportant de nuit ou sans passavant, des grains ou farines dans la distance de 5 kilomêtres (1 lieue) des rives de la Meuse, de l'Escaut, du Hond^{t}, et des bras de ce fleuve connus sous la denomination de Hellegat, Hondtgat, Brakman, ou Canal de Philippine, Saffingat, &c., ou sur les dits fleuves et leurs bras, sans permis d'un bureau de Douane, outres les amendes et les confiscations encourues, seront arrêtés et détenus jusqu'à ce que le

Ministre de la Police Générale les ait fait interroger, et mettre, s'il y a lieu, en jugement dans les délais determinés par la loi.

Art. 2 Seront également arrêtés et detenus les particuliers surpris à transporter, sans permission, des grains ou farines dans les 5 kilomètres (1 lieue) des frontières de terre, et de la rive gauche du Rhin depuis Anvers jusques et y compris Versoix, où les embarquant et transportant sur le dit fleuve, ainsi que sur le lac Léman, également sans permission.

Art. 3. L'entrepôt des grains et farines defendu par l'arrête du gouvernement, du 17 Prairial, an 7, ne sera reputé tel dans l'etendue fixée par les articles 1 et 2 du present arrête, que d'après les bases déterminés par le Ministre de l'Intérieur, ensuite de l'avis des Préfets des départements de l'Escaut et des deux Nethes, pour ces départements ; et d'apres les bases fixées par les arrêtes du commission du gouvernemeut, pour les départements de la rive gauche du Rhin.

Art 4. Seront aussi reputés en entrepôt, les grains et farines trouvés dans les lieux non habités, dans l'etendue fixée par les art. 1 et 2.

Art. 5. Les saisies de grains et farines seront jugées au jour indiquè par la citation : et si le tribunal n'en a pas donné main levée, il pourra être procédé le lendemain à leur vente provisoire. Le prix en sera deposé au bureau des Douanes jusqu'à ce que l'instance soit terminée.

Art. 6. Les particuliers qui, au nombre de plus de quinze, et malgré la sommation des preposés des Douanes, des Militaires, et autres chargés d'arrêter les exportations de grains et farines auront voulu passer leurs chargements à l'etranger, sont dans le cas de l'art. 4 de la 4 section du titre 1. du code penal, du 6 Oct. 1791, et seront poursuivis comme tels.

Art. 7. Il n'est nullement derogé aux dispositions de l'arrête du 19 Ventose, relatif au mode et à la régularité du cabotage sur les côtes et dans l'intérieur de la République.

Les Ministres de l'Interieur, de la Police, des Finances, et de la Justice, sont chargés, chacun en ce qu'il le concerne, de l'execution du présent arrête, qui sera imprimé, publié, et effiché dans les départements frontières y designées.

Le Premier Consul (signé) *Bonaparte.*
Le Secrétaire d'Etat (signé) *Hugues B. Maret.*
Le Ministre de la Justice (signé) *Abrial.*

(*) *Décret imperial qui permet l'exportation des grains pour l'Espagne, le Portugal, l'Allemagne, et la Hollande ; 25 Prairial, an 12.*

Art. 1. L'exportation des grains en France est permise par les ports d'Agde, Lanouville, Bayonne, Bordeaux, Nantes, St. Vallery, St. Gilles, les Sables, Marans, la Rochelle, Rochefort, le Sas de Gaud, Anvers, Coblentz, Mayence, et Cologne, en payant à leur sortie un droit d'un franc par cinq myriagrammes de blé, et cinquante centimes pour les seigles, maïs, et autres grains.

Toute exportation cessera du moment que le prix du blé du 1re qualité sera monté à seize francs l'hectolitre dans les départemens de l'Ouest et du Nord, et vingt francs l'hectolitre dans les départemens du Midi de la Republique, et cela d'apres les mercuriales de trois marchés successifs dans le marché du lieu de l'exportation, ou dans le marché le plus vosin. La prohibition sera ordonnée provisoirement par le Préfet du Département, et confirmée par le gouvernement sur le rapport du Ministre de l'Intérieur.

(signé) *Napoleon.*

Décret imperial qui permet l'exportation des grains pour l'Espagne et le Portugal ; 13 Brumaire, an 13.

Art. 1. L'exportation des grains est permise pour l'Espagne et le Portugal, par les départements frontiéres de l'Espagne, et par les ports de Bayonne et du St. Esprit, de Marans, des Sables, d'Olonnes et de Bordeaux, en payant, à la sortie, pour les blés, seigles, maïs, hericots et autres grains, le droit fixé par le décret du 25 Prairial dernier.

Art. 3. Toute exportation cessera du moment où le prix du blé de premiere qualité sera monté a seize florins l'hectolitre pour les ports de Marans, et des Sables

 d'Olonnes,

d'Olonnes, et a vingt francs l'hectolitre pour les ports de Bayonne, du St. Esprit, et de Bourdeaux, pendant trois marchés consécutifs dans le lieu d'exportation où dans le marché le plus voisin. La prohibition sera ordonneé provisoirement par le Préfet du Département, et confirmée par le gouvernement sur le rapport du Ministre de l'Intérieur.

(signé) *Napoleon.*

Décret imperial qui permet l'exportation du blé froment pour l'electorat d'Hanovre; 5 Nivose, an 13.

Art. 1. L'exportation du blé froment est permise pour l'electorat d'Hanovre, par les ports de Neuss, Cologne, Urdingen, Coblentz, et Mayence, en payant, à la sortie, le droit fixé par le décret (*) du 25 Prairial dernier.

Art. 3. Toute exportation cessera du moment ou le prix du blé de 1re qualité sera monté a seize francs l'hectolitre, pendant trois marchés consecutifs, dans le lieu d'exportation ou dans le marché le plus voisin. La prohibition sera ordonnée provisoirement par le Préfet du Département, et confirmée par le gouvernement, sur le rapport du Ministre de l'Intérieur.

(signé) *Napoleon.*

Décret imperial rélatif à l'introduction des grains et farines dans les départemens de Genes, de Montenotte, et des Apenines, et à la prohibition de sortie pour l'étranger; 6 Messidor, an 13.

Art. 1. Les grains et farines pourront sortir en exemption du droit de deux francs par quintal métrique par les bureaux de la 27 Division Militaire, et des etats de Parme, pour être introduits immédiatement dans les départemens de Genes, Montenotte, et des Apenines, en remplissant les formalités usitées.

Art. 2. La sortie à l'étranger des grains et farines existans dans les trois départemens est prohibée sous les peines portés par les lois de l'empire, excepté ceux qu'on justifiera avoir été importés de tout autre pays que la 27 Division Militaire ou les etats de Parme.

Art. 3. L'entrée et la sortie des grains venant de l'étranger continueront à avoir lieu à Gênes, sous les mêmes conditions et formalités établis jusqu'à ce jour par les lois Liguriennes.

(signé) *Napoleon.*

Décret imperial contenant réglement general pour l'organisation des départemens de la Hollande; 18 Oct. 1810.

Section V.—Art. 157. Des farines, pains, et biscuit, à leur importation en Hollande.

Ceux provenant des départemens de l'Empire qui entreraient dans les nouveaux départemens que forme la Hollande, payeront le droit de monture.

Ceux qui proviendraient de l'étranger, paieront les droits perçus jusqu'a ce jour.

Section VI.—Des grains, farines, et légumes, à leur exportation de la Hollande.

Art. 158. La loi du 17 Nov. 1790 (**), qui régle les formalités à remplir pour l'entrepôt des grains, farines, et légumes, provenant de l'étranger, et destinés à la re-exportation, sera publiée et mise en vigeur dans le départemens de la Hollande.

Art. 160. L'exportation cessera lorsque le prix de l'hectolitre sera parvenu à vingt-quatre francs dans les marchés du département de deux Nethes, ou lorsque des décrets speciaux l'auront prohibée.

Art. 161. Lorsque l'exportation ne sera point defendue, les blés et mêmes grains qui seront exportés acquitteront, à la sortie, un droit régle ainsi qu'il suit:—

Lorsque le prix ne s'élevera pas—

à 19 francs dans le département des deux Nethes par quintal métrique - -	f. 2	0 c.
à 19 — - - - idem - - - - -	2	50
à 20 — - - - - — - - - -	3	80
à 21 — - - - - — - - - -	4	0
à 22 — - - - - — - - - -	6	0
à 23 — - - - - — - - - -	8	0
à 24 — l'exportation sera suspendue.		

Art. 162.

Art. 162. Il ne sera perçu, pour l'exportation des mêmes grains et des légumes secs, que la moitié des droits mentionnés en l'article précédent. Les légumes verts seront exempts de droits.

(signé) *Napoleon.*

Antwerp, 9th February 1827.

I. J. De Hochepied Larpent.

Second Enclosure in N° 7.

STATEMENT of the Laws in force relative to Grain, since the Accession of His Majesty the King of the Nethetherlands in 1814.

(*) *Loi du* 20 *Novembre* 1816, *par laquelle l'exportation du blé sarazin et des pommes de terre est prohibée.*

Nous Guillaume, par la grace de Dieu, Roi de Pay Bas, Prince d'Orange Nassau, Grand Duc de Luxembourg, &c. &c. &c.

A tous ceux qui les présentes verront, salut! Savoir faisons; ayant pris en consideration que la récolte du bled sarazin, et celle des pommes de terre, ont manqué dans presque toutes les parties du royaume, et qu'ainsi l'interêt de nos sujets, et notamment des classes peu aisées, reclame une mesure speciale tendante à arrêter la hausse extraordinaire du prix de ces denrées.

A ces causes, notre Conseil d'Etat entendu, et de common accord avec les Etats-Generaux, avons ordonné et statué comme nous ordonnons et statuons par ces présentes:

Art. 1. L'exportation du bled sarazin et des pommes de terre est prohibée.

Art. 2. Nous nous réservons de révoquer cette prohibition à l'instant où les circonstances cesseront de la rendre necessaire. Mandons et ordonnons que la présente loi soit insérée au Journal Officiel, et que nos ministres et autres autorités qu'elle concerne, tiennent strictement la main à son exécution.

Donné à Bruxelles, le 20 Nov^re de l'an 1816, et de notre regne le troisième.

(signé) *Guillaume.*

Par le Roi. (signé) *A. R. Falck.*

(* * *) *Loi du* 10 *Janvier* 1817, *portant restriction de la faculté d'exporter des grains par les frontières de terre.*

Nous Guillaume, par la grace de Dieu, Roi des Pays Bays, &c. &c.

A tous ceux qui les présentes verront, salut! Savoir faisons; ayant pris en considération que la défense absolue de l'exportation des grains doit être envisagée, dans ce royaume, comme une mesure sujette à de grands inconvéniens, en ce qu'elle pourrait avoir pour effet d'interrompre la marche ordinaire du commerce des bleds, et de faire cesser ou de diminuer les importations. Que cependant une défense partielle peut offrir des résultats salutaires pour les habitans de quelque provinces, et notamment de celles qui, par leur sitation, et par les lois prohibitives des Etats avoisinans, n'ont point à attendre d'approvisionnemens directs de grains étrangers. A ces causes, notre Conseil d'Etat entendu, et de commun accord avec les Etats Généraux, avons statué comme nous statuons par ces présentes:—

Art. 1. Il est défendu d'exporter du froment, du siegle, de l'orge, de l'avoine, ou des farines de quelque espèce que ce soit, par la frontière de terre du royaume vers les pays d'où il n'est pas permis d'exposer ces objets vers les Pays Bas.

Art. 2. Nous nous réservons d'etendre la susdite prohibition à d'autres espèces de comestibles, et de la révoquer en tout ou en partie d'apres ce qu'exigent les circonstances.

Art. 3. Les grains et autres comestibles compris dans la susdite prohibition, ou dans celle du 20 Novembre 1816 (*), et dont ce nonobstant l'exportation serait tentée directement ou indirectement, seront confisqués, et les contrevenant condamnés en outre à une amende de mille florins.

Mandons et ordonnons que la présente loi soit insérée au Journal Officiel, et que nos ministres et autres autorités qu'elle concerne, tiennent strictement la main a son exécution.

Donné à Bruxelles, le 10 Janvier 1817.

(signé) *Guillaume.*

Par le Roi. (signé) *A. R. Falck.*

(‡‡‡) *Arrêté du 4 Mai 1817, qui étend au pain la prohibition de sorti contenue dans la loi du 10 Janvier de la même année.*

Nous Guillaume, &c. &c. &c.—Sur le rapport du Directeur Général des Convois et Licences ; revu l'art. 2. de la loi du 10 Janvier dernier (***) : notre Conseil d'Etat entendu (avis du 3 de ce mois, N° 1.) ; avons arrêté et arrêtons :—

Art. 1. La défense faite par l'art. premier de la loi du 10 Janvier dernier, d'exporter du froment, du siegle, de l'orge, de l'avoine, ou des farines, de quelque espèce que ce soit, comprend le pain, le biscuit, et toutes les matières qui se fabriquent avec de la farine.

Art. 2. Le Directeur Général des Convois et Licences est chargé de l'exécution du présent, qui sera inséré au Journal Officiel.

Donné à Bruxelles, le 4 Mai de l'an 1817, de notre regne le quatrième.

(signé) *Guillaume.*

Par le Roi. (signé) *A. R. Falck.*

Arrêté du 13 Mai 1818, contenant revocation de la défence d'exporter le bled sarazin, et d'employer les pommes de terre pour la distillation des eaux de vie.

Nous Guillaume, &c. &c. &c. Vu,—1. La loi du 20 Novembre 1816 (*) (Journal Officiel, N° 68,) portant défense d'exporter hors du royaume le bled sarazin et les pommes de terre, jusqu'à l'époque où nous jugerions que les circonstances ont cessé de rendre cette mesure nécessaire ;—2. Notre arrêté du 5 Fevrier 1817, (Journal Officiel, No. 10,) portant prohibition d'employer les pommes de terre pour la distillation des eaux de vie :

Considérant que l'abondante récolte de bled sarazin faite l'année derniere, et les approvisionnemens considérables qui en existent, ont contribué et contribuent encore à en faire baisser de plus en plus le prix, et à les ramener au taux ordinaire ; qu'ainsi il n'y a plus de motifs pour maintenir à l'egard de cette denrée des mesures prohibitives, nuisible à l'agriculture et au commerce : Considerant que la défense d'employer les pommes de terre, ainsi que cela a lieu dans quelques parties du royaume, à la fabrication des eaux de vie, cause un préjudice notable à l'industrie, à l'agriculture, et à l'entretien du bétail ; que les approvisionnemens existans, ainsi que la perspective de la récolte prochaine de cette plante permittant de faire cesser des entraves nuisibles à un grand nombre de nos sujets :

Vu la loi du 10 Janvier 1817 (***), (Journal Officiel, N° 2,) et notre arrêté du 4 Mai 1817 (‡‡‡), (Journal Officiel, N° 20.)—Sur le rapport de notre Ministre de l'Intérieur, en date du 8 Mai 1818, N° 473, N° 36.—Notre Conseil d'Etat entendu :—Avons arrêté et arrêtons—

Art. 1. La partie de la loi du 20 Novembre 1816, (Journal Officiel, N° 68), qui défend d'exporter le bled sarazin, est abrogée ; à compter de la publication du présent arrête, l'exportation de cette denrée a l'étranger pourra avoir lieu comme par le passé. Au surplus, les dispositions de la loi du 10 Janvier 1817, (Journal Officiel, N° 2, et de notre arrête du 4 Mai 1817, (Journal Official, N° 20) concernant les autres espèces de grains et farines, et de tout ce qui se fabrique avec de la farine, sont maintenues en leur entier.

Art 2. La défense fait par notre arrête du 5 Fevrier 1817. (*) (Journal Officiel, N° 10,) d'employer les pommes de terre pour la distillation des eaux de vie, est par les présentes revoquée et mis hors d'effet.

Notre Ministre de la Intérieur, et notre Conseiller d'Etât, Directeur Général des droits d'entrée et de sortie et des accises, sont chargés de l'exécution du présent arrête, lequel sera inséré au Journal Officiel.

Donné a la Haye, le 13 Mai de l'an 1818, et de notre regne le cinquième.

(signé) *Guillaume.*

Par le Roi. (signé) *J. G. De Mey Van Streefkerk.*

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* Cet arrête interoit l'emploi des pommes de terre pour la distillation du genièvre.

(††) *Loi du* 26 *Août* 1822, *portant le tarif des droits d'entrée, de sortie, et de transit de tous effets, denrées, et marchandise.*

TARIF.

ART. GRAINS.	DROITS. d'entrée. f.	cts.	de sortie. f.	cts.	de transit. f.	cts.
Bled noir ou sarazin - - - - per last	9	00	0	60	2	00
Fèves et vesces - - - - - - -	6	00	0	60	2	40
Pois - - - - - - - - - -	7	00	0	60	2	40
Orge - - - - - - - - -	4	50	0	40	2	50
Avoine - - - - - - - - -	2	50	0	30	1	00
Drèche - - - - - - - - -	6	00	0	50	4	10
Seigle - - - - - - - - -	5	00	0	50	1	60
Epeautre - - - - - - - - -	2	50	0	30	2	00
Froment - - - - - - - - -	7	50	0	60	2	50
Gruan - - - - - - les 100lb.	2	50	0	50	1	50
Pain, biscuit d'épice farine, ou monture de toute espèce, vermicelle, macaroni, semonde, son - - - - - les 100lb.	12	00	libres.		9	00

(†††) *Arrête du* 3 *Octobre* 1824, *qui préscrit des mesures préalables par rapport aux droits de l'importation du froment, seigle, orge, et avoine.*

Nous Guillaume, &c. &c. &c. En égard au désir manifesté par les Etats Généraux, que nous prenions en considération ultérieure l'état de dépérissement continuel de l'agriculture, á l'effet de préscrire des mesures pour son encouragement: Entendu tous les départements d'administration public que la chose concerne, ainsi que le Conseil d'Etat: Désirant prendre les mesures pour prevenir que les dispositions legislatives tendante à limiter l'importation du froment, seigle, orge, et avoine, que nous nous proposons de présenter aux Etats Généraux ne soient, en attendant les deliberations qui auront lieu sur la matière, rendues illusoires, du moins pour un certain temps, au moyen d'importations extraordinaires, et attendu que l'état de l'agriculture exige un secours prompt et efficace: Avons arrété et arrétons—

Il sera fourni, à chaque importation des susdits grains, qu'ils soient germés ou non germés, qui aura lieu après que le présent arrête sera parvenu à la connoissance des autorités et independamment de l'acquittement du droit d'entrée ordinaire, une caution solvable pour assurer éventuellement le payment supplémentaire d'un impôt ou droit plus élevé, tel qu'il sera établi par la roi, comme si ces importations eussent eu lieu après la mise á exécution de cette loi.

Le montant de ce cautionnement est fixé, pour le froment, à *f.* 16. 50.; pour le seigle à *f.* 10.; pour l'orge à *f.* 7. 50.; et pour l'avoine à *f.* 4. 50.; le tout par last, et independamment des cents additionnel pour le syndicat.

La présent disposition sera mise en vigueur immédiatement après sa promulgation.

Notre Conseiller d'Etat, Administrateur des contributions directes droits d'entrée et de sortie, et des accises, est chargé de l'exécution du présent arrête, qui sera inséré au Journal Officiel.

Donné au Loo, le 3 Oct^re^ de l'an 1824, le 11^e^ de notre regne.

(signé) *Guillaume.*

Par le Roi. (signé) *J. G. De Mey de Streefkerk.*

Publié le 6 Octobre 1824.

Le Sécrétaire d'Etat, (signé) *J. G. De Mey de Streefkerk.*

Loi du 10 *Janvier* 1825 *portant quelques changemens du Tarif des droits d'entrée, de sortie, et de transit de tous effets, denrées, et marchandises, arrêté par la loi du* 26 *Août* 1822. (††)—(Journal Officiel, N° 39. Tarif.)

Nous Guillaume, &c. A tous ceux qui les présentes verront, salut: Savoir faisons; Ayant pris en consideration les demandes et les representations qui nous ont été adressées, tendantes a ce qu'il soit apporté quelques changemens et ameliorations au tarif des droits d'entrée, de sortie, et de transit, de tous effets, denrées, et marchandises arrêté par la loi du 26 Août 1822, (††) (Journal Officiel, N° 39.) A ces causes notre Conseil d'Etat entendu, et de commun accord avec les Etats Généraux; avons trouvé bon et entendu statuer, comme nous statuons par les présentes, que les articles ci-après nommés du tarif des droits d'entrée, de sortie, et de transit, seront complétés et modifiés ainsi qu'il suit:—

GRAINS.

Le droit d'entrée sur le froment, le seigle, l'orge, l'avoine, et l'epeautre, germé ou non germé, est augmenté et fixé ainsi qu'il suit:—

		f.	c.
Froment	le last	24	00
Seigle		15	00
Orge		12	00
Avoine		7	00
Epeautre (non mondé)		7	00
Epeautre (mondé)		15	00

Ce droit est applicable aux grains entrés dans le royaume après que notre arrête du 3 Octobre dernier (†††) (Journal Official, N° 51.), a été declaré executoire, et pour les quels il a été donné caution à concurrence de l'augmentation des droits.

Il est réservé au Roi de réduire le droit d'entré sur les six articles surmentionnés, et même de les ramener aux dispositions du tarif énoncé ci-dessus à mesme que les circonstances qui ont donné lieu a l'augmentation actuelle subiront des changemens.

Le droit de sortie sur les espèces de grains ci-après denommées est reduit et fixé ainsi qu'il suit:—

		c.	f.
Bled noir ou bled sarazin	le last	0	20
Fêves et vesces		0	20
Pois		0	20
Orge		0	10
Avoine		0	10
Epeautre (mondé)		0	10
Epeautre (non mondé)		0	15
Seigle		0	15
Froment		0	20

Mandons et ordonnons, que la présente loi soit insérée au Journal Officiel, et que nos ministres et autres autorités qu'elle concerne, tiennent strictement la main à son exécution.

Donné a Bruxelles, le 10 Janvier de l'an 1825, de notre règne le 12.

(signé) *Guillaume.*

Par le Roi. (signé) *J. G. de Mey de Streefkerk.*

Publié le 12 Janvier 1825.

Le Sécrétaire d'Etat (signé) *J. G. de May de Streefkerk.*

Loi du 24 *Mars* 1826, *portant des changemens au tarif des droits d'entrée, de sortie, et de transit.*

Nous Guillaume, &c. &c. &c.

Art. 2. Pour les articles ci-après nommés, les droits sont fixés ainsi qu'il suit, à partir du 1 Avril 1826.

TARIF.

Article Grains.	Entrée.	Sortie.	Transit.
	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.
Seigle, par 1,000lb. des Pays Bas	7 50	0 07	0 80
Froment - d° - d° -	11 25	0 10	1 30

Antwerp, 9 February 1826. *I. J. De Hochepied Larpent.*

N° 8.

Mr. Consul Gibsone to John Bidwell, Esq.

British Consulate, Danzig,
25th January 1827.

SIR,

I DO myself the honour to convey the information desired, by circular of the 15th past, on the subject of the laws relative to, and the duties on, the export and import of Grain from and to this city, during the last fifty years, as accurately as I have been able to collect such as yet, and which no doubt will suffice for the present, while I shall continue my endeavours to procure more details hereafter, and shall then transmit them, though the present contains what is most important.

It does not appear that the *import* of grain has at any time been prohibited here, either by sea or from Poland; the former, indeed, was not to be apprehended in times of plenty, and very rarely occurred at all; while the city derived its chief trade from the import from Poland.

The *export* has only been prohibited, during the period stated, in the following years; viz.

In July 1795, till the following summer, of rye, barley, and oats, in consequence of the small stocks:

In the summer months of 1800, of rye; in September 1805, of all grain, no doubt owing to the political state of the country: In 1807, 1808, 1812, and 1813, entirely; in 1809, 1810, and 1811, partially; by the French.

The export otherwise was only circumscribed in so far that, in 1772, it was decreed there should always be kept, as a permanent stock in town, 1,000 lasts of wheat, and 3,000 lasts of rye, (about 11,000 and 33,000 quarters Winchester), and that the surplus might be exported; this permanent stock was, previous to 1793, considerably reduced, and it ceased entirely after that.

During the first Prussian occupation of the town, or from 1793 to 1807, obstacles were at times (though rarely) raised against the unrestricted export of rye, in the view of enabling the royal magazines being supplied on better terms, but which were got over by means of some arrangement made by the merchants. Since the second Prussian occupation of the town, in 1815, there has been no impediment to the export of grain, and none is again likely; for the Prussian government could not well prevent Polish grain passing through the country; and it would thence create more odium to stop the export of Prussian grain, while it would not accord with the present enlightened ideas on the subject of the trade; it being evident, that the more was exported the more would come from the interior, at least so much as to prevent want.

The duty on importation from Poland was, from 1772 to 1793 (the period between the occupation of the province to that of the town) was 12 per cent. on the value, and was levied at Firdau. The duty then ceased until 1818, when one

was levied at Thorn, till 1824 inclusive, of about 13*d.* per quarter W^r^ on wheat; 4½ *d.* ditto on rye, barley and peas; and 2½ *d.* ditto on oats.

From 1825 inclusive, this duty has been 14*d.* per q^r^ W^r^ on Wheat generally, and 3½ *d.* do. on rye, barley, oats and peas, when entered for export; but about 3*s.* per q^r^ when ordered for consumption.

The duty on importation by sea was, as I am informed, the same as that noted below on exportation, until 1818, when it was the same as if coming from Poland, till 1824 inclusive, and since it is about 3*s.* per W^r^ q^r^ on all kinds of grain.

The exportation duty was, from 1772 to 1793, about 14*d.* per quarter on wheat to the town, and the same to Prussia, which occupied the Fairwater or Lower Harbour; but after the town was taken by Prussia, the duty was about 14*d.* per q^r^ in all, on wheat, excepting from 1799 to 1800, when it was raised to about 8*s.* 2*d.* per q^r^, in consequence of the great demand from Britain. It was, however, soon again reduced to the old standard, and it was fixed at nearly the same for 1815, 1816, 1817 and 1818, or at about 13*d.* per quarter. From 1819 to 1821 inclusive, this duty was only about ¾ *d.* per quarter; and since no duty is levied on export.

The town-dues on exportation are quite trifling; say about ¾ *d.* per quarter.

I trust these particulars will answer the purpose for the present, until I can get them more complete.

There is almost no business transacting here just now in grain. Rye continues to be brought for the royal magazines at the late prices, otherwise it might be somewhat lower. Wheat nearly maintains its price, as do peas; but barley and oats are somewhat lower.

One of the first motions made at the meeting of the States of East and West Prussia, at present held here, was, that the king should be petitioned to order more effective measures being adopted than at present, for providing bread corn to the needy in the districts when the crops have failed, who had not money to procure it elsewhere. This is a farther proof of there being want in some districts in the country.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Alex. Gibsone.*

N° 9.

Mr. Consul Gibsone to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, British Consulate, Dantzig, 29th January 1827.

WITH respectful reference to my communication of the 25th inst., whereof a duplicate is here enclosed, I beg leave to add, that the motion made in the Assembly of the States of East and West Prussia, therein made mention of, was *unanimously* supported; and that the *cause* of rye being prohibited to be exported in the summer months of 1800, was apprehensions for the coming crop, from a strong night frost in June. I talked of the second Prussian occupation of the town having taken place in 1815, whereas it happened in the preceding year.

Generally it may be said, that there never have existed corn laws here, all decrees and regulations on the subject being merely temporary.

No barley was last year exported from Elbing, which I omitted before to mention.

Were there to be any considerable decline in the price of oats here, more of these, and less of rye, would again be consumed.

The grain market here is at present very dull, from want of money.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Alexander Gibsone.*

N° 10.

Mr. Consul Sterling to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, British Consulate, Genoa, 31st. Jan. 1827.

IN obedience to your dispatch of the 15th December last (which did not reach me till the 20th instant, owing to its being mis-sent to Florence), I enclose you the Statement of the laws "relative to the export and import of grain."

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *J. Sterling.*
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 10.

A STATEMENT of the LAWS existing at GENOA relative to the EXPORT and IMPORT of GRAIN, or the DUTIES imposed thereon, for the last fifty years.

DURING the ancient republic of Genoa, there existed a *board* called "d'abbondanza," composed of five individuals appointed by government, who had the exclusive privilege of buying and selling grain in the state of the republic: they were obliged to have always a deposit of grain in the public granary, called "annona;" for which purpose funds were deposited in the bank of St. George.

Merchants were not allowed to introduce any grain for consumption; but on its importation, were obliged to sell it to the board "d'abbondanza," or re-export it, paying the transit-duty of two sous per mina; grain enjoying the privilege of the free port of Genoa, as merchandize.

The duty of importation on wheat by sea, was 42 sous per mina, and when imported from Lombardy, paid only 32 sous and 5 denaris; but by a law, passed in the year 1786, the same duty of 42 sous was levied upon grain imported by land as well as by sea.

In the year 1788 it was enacted by law, that an additional duty of 4 sous per mina on grain should be charged on its importation for consumption. The product of this tax was to be paid into the military chest.

The duty on entry, on wheat, was forty-six (46) sous per mina. The transit duty was 2 sous, and 8 sous for transhipping; but if grain was not landed, being re-exported by the same vessel, it paid no duty.

The republic of Genoa exported no grain of its growth. The books containing the laws made since the year 1789, were taken away by the French, therefore it is not possible to know what alterations were made on the importation of grain after that year.

By information received from a person here brought up in the grain trade, it appears that the duty of importation on grain, during the latter years of the republic of Genoa, was 3 livres per mina of wheat, and 40 or 50 sous for every mina of pulse.

When Genoa and its dominions were under the French government, there was no tax or charge of any kind on grain; the importation and exportation of wheat was free.

During the provisional government of Genoa, the duty on grain was re-established by proclamation of the 1st of June 1814, as follows:—

	Importation.	Exportation.	Transit.	Transhipping.
Wheat -	3 livres.	8 sous.	2 sous.	8 sous, per mina.
Pulse - - -	1 10	4 do.	1 do.	4 do. - do.
Rice - - -	1 0	—	—	—

The duty of exportation on grain was established by "Manifesto Camerale" of the 4th February 1815, published at Genoa the 26th January 1816, as follows:—

Wheat - - - 10 sous per mina.
Pulse - - - 5 do. - do.
Rice - - - 2 15 per quintal.

A "Manifesto Camerale" of the 5th October 1816 fixed the duty of importation on grain, as follows:—

Wheat - - - 12 sous per mina.
Pulse - - - 6 do. - do.

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 14th of March 1818, the general tariff of duties was published, and the duty on grain was as follows:—

	Importation.	Exportation.	Transit.	* Ostellaggio.	Importation for the Duchy of Genoa.
	per mina. frs. cts.	per mina. frs. cts.	per mina. frs. cts.	per mina. frs. cts.	per mina. frs. cts.
Wheat - -	0 10	0 60	0 65	0 35	2 50
Pulse - -	0 10	0 30	0 65	0 20	1 25
Rice - -	0 10	3 0	0 65	0 60	2 50

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 30th July 1818, the duty of importation on grain for the Duchy of Genoa was also extended for the provinces of Novara, Lomellina, Alexandria, Tortona, and Voghero.

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 7th of November 1818, the transit-duty on grain was increased to 1 fr. 50 cents per decimal quintal.

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 5th April 1819, the duty of exportation on grain was reduced to 5 cents per decimal quintal.

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 15th May 1819, the duties on grain were as follows:—

	ENTRY.	TRANSIT.
Wheat - -	f. 4 0 per mina.	f. 4 0 per mina.
Pulse - -	2 50 do.	4 0 do.
Rice - -	4 0 p^r quintal.	4 0 p^r quintal.

The duty of exportation on rice was increased to 3 francs 35 cents on each decimal quintal; but there is a drawback of 3 frs. and 30 cents per decimal quintal, when it is exported by Sardinian vessels, or by vessels of a nation where no difference of duty exists, whether the rice is imported by native or Sardinian vessels.

By King's ordonnance of 2d September 1819, the duty of importation on grain, produce of the island of Sardinia, imported by Sardinian vessels, is reduced to one-fourth of the above specified duty.

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 11th June 1824, the duty of importation on grain was increased as follows:

Wheat - 6 francs per mina.
Pulse - 4 do. do.
Rice - 6 do. per decimal quintal.

Grain, produce of the island of Sardinia, is exempted from this additional duty.

By "Manifesto Camerale" of the 17th January 1825, put into execution on the 1st of March 1825, it was enacted, that grain imported by Sardinian vessels should pay the same duty of entry as above specified, but if imported by foreign vessels, to pay an additional duty of one-third; namely,

Wheat - 9 frs. per mina.
Pulse - 6 do. - do.
Rice - 9 do. - do.

On the 2d September 1826 permission was granted by the Sardinian government to transport 50,000 mines of wheat from Genoa for Switzerland, paying the transit duty of 10 cents instead of 4 francs.

On application from the British merchants resident at Genoa (through His Majesty's Minister, at Turin) a diminution of 3 frs. of transit duty was also granted on exporting Indian corn and barley to England.

Genoa, 31st January 1827. (signed) *J. Sterling.*

* Is the Duty on goods when imported and re-exported by sea.

N° 11.

Consul General Sir Daniel Bayley to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, St. Petersburgh, $\frac{14}{26}$ January 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch of the 15th of December, communicating to me the directions of Mr. Secretary Canning, to use my best endeavours to collect and transmit, with all convenient speed, the information required by the House of Lords, of the laws relative to the export and import of Grain that have taken place here, and the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years.

In obedience to these orders I have to request, that you would have the goodness to acquaint Mr. Secretary Canning, that I am exerting myself to the utmost to procure the required information, and that I will transmit it when collected, with the least possible delay.

I regret, however, to add, that it will require some time in effecting all, or indeed almost any part of what is wanted; for permission is first to be obtained to search for, then to select, and afterwards translate the oukazes bearing upon the question; not a day shall however be unnecessarily lost.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Daniel Bayley.*

N° 12.

Mr. Consul Tupper to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, Riga, 2d February 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch of the 15th of December, which only reached me on the 19th ultimo; and now proceed to state the information I have obtained on the subject to which it refers.

The exportation of all sorts of grain is permitted throughout this province; and subjected to no other impediments but the following duty:

	Rs.	Cop.	
On Wheat - -	1	70	per last, or 11 ½ Winchester quarters.
On Barley - -	0	48	per ditto of ditto.
On Rye - - -	0	50	per ditto of 11 ½ ditto.
On Oats - - -	0	61	per ditto of 14 ½ quarters.

During the last fifty years the duties have occasionally varied, having been successively payable in rix dollars, in bank-notes, and latterly in silver; but, upon the whole, the duty has invariably been trifling.

For the last few years (from 1818 to 1826), a municipal but temporary duty was separately levied on all grain exported from this city, towards purchasing a certain quantity of rye, to be deposited in the public magazines, to provide against the possibility of scarcity occurring in the province. The quantity prescribed having been completed by the end of 1825, this temporary extra duty has, since the beginning of last year, ceased to be further levied. It had consisted of

2		roubles silver per last of wheat and rye.
1	34 - - - - - - -	barley.
0	67 - - - - - - -	oats.

The importation is free, but limited to small parcels, to be used as seed.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Thomas Tupper.*

N° 13.

Lord Bloomfield to Lord Howard de Walden.

My Lord, Stockholm, 19th Jan. 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's despatch of 15th December last, desiring me to collect information with regard to the corn laws of Sweden; and I have now the honour of enclosing the required statement.

I have the honour, &c. &c. &c.

The Lord Howard de Walden, &c. &c. &c. (signed) *Bloomfield.*

Enclosure in N° 13.

PREVIOUSLY to the year 1812, Sweden did not produce sufficient bread-corn for her consumption; to supply this deficiency she imported 300,000 quarters annually: this was more especially the case from 1775 to 1790. From the latter period to 1800 the average annual importation was about 180,000 quarters. The import duty during that time was often suspended, and scarcely ever exceeded 2 to 4*s.* per quarter on wheat, about half that sum on rye, and a little more or less on other sorts of grain.

Exportation up to this date was prohibited; but after 1812 (with the exception of two years of scarcity) to 1825 inclusive, Sweden has given more grain than required for her ordinary consumption. In consequence of which, import duties were imposed in 1820, which operated as a prohibition, and were continued till last autumn. At this period a great and general reduction of import duty took place, in consequence of the failure of the crops throughout the country.

His Swedish Majesty has the power of imposing or varying the duties on the export and the import of grain, by proclamation.

Stockholm, 19th January 1827.

N° 14.

Mr. Consul Foy to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, Stockholm, 16th January 1827.

I HAD the honour to receive on the 13th inst. your despatch of the 15th December, conveying Mr. Secretary Canning's commands to furnish, with all convenient speed, information of the laws of this country relative to the import and export of grain.

I beg, in reply, to state, that Sweden was in former times so dependent on other countries for a supply of bread-corn, that it entered, as a matter of course, into her treaties with Russia for instance, that Sweden should be supplied with a certain quantity of grain annually, when required, from the Russian ports of the Baltic and the Gulph of Finland (whether the exportation from thence was allowed to other countries or not), and at a reduced rate of export duty otherwise levied in those ports.

The consumption in Sweden may be estimated at about 3,200,000 quarters Winchester measure, of bread corn annually (or nearly 1½ quarters for each person), of which on an average, the yearly importation was about as follows; say,

From 1750 to 1775	- -	170,000 quarters.
1775 to 1790	- -	300,000 d°
(or one tenth of the whole consumption)		
1790 to 1802	- -	180,000 quarters.
1802 to 1812	- -	120,000 d°

The import duty, during all that time, when the production of the country was inadequate to its wants, varied from 2*s.* to 4*s.* sterling per quarter on wheat, about half that sum on rye, and a little more or less on other sorts. Under such circumstances, there could not be any question of exportation; but after 1812 (with the exception of a couple of years of scarcity), up to 1825 inclusive, Sweden has

grown more grain than the ordinary consumption called for; and the surplus, for want of encouragement to exportation, has been converted into spirits. In consequence hereof, a tariff of import duties was established in 1820, equivalent to a prohibition, and persevered in till last autumn, when it was found expedient, from the failure of the crops, to fix a very moderate rate of duty, to be in force till the summer of this year.

I enclose a Schedule of the duties of 1820, and of those now in force.

The Diet leaves to his Swedish Majesty to regulate, by proclamation or in any way he may think fit, the duties on grain according to circumstances.

Whilst there was such abundance of grain in the country, for five or six years preceding the last, the export was allowed at a mere trifle of duty, not exceeding one fourth per cent on the value.

Referring to my dispatch of last year* for further details on this subject,

I have the honour, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *Geo. Foy.*
Superintendent of the Consular Service,
&c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 14.

SCHEDULE of Duties payable on FOREIGN GRAIN imported into Sweden, in the years 1820 and 1826.

	1820.	1826.	
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
Wheat - -	38 8	13 2	per Winchester quarter.
Rye - -	34 3	11 5	——
Barley - -	22 10	2 2	——
Oats - -	11 7	Free	——
Pease - -		3	——

N° 15.

The Hon. Algernon Percy to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Berne, 28 Jan. 1827.

IN compliance with the instructions contained in Lord Clanricarde's despatch of the 15th December 1826, I have obtained the best information in my power on the subject required by the House of Lords, regarding the laws relative to the export and import of Corn in this country.

Previous to the invasion and consequent revolution in this country in the year 1798, each canton exercised its own absolute sovereignty; no general uniformity existed, in the laws with respect to provisions, in the cantons of Switzerland. Those among the cantons whose resources permitted it, had established public granaries, and the scarcities of the years 1773 and 1776 proved the efficacy of such a system. Some of the more affluent governments, amongst the rest that of Berne, not only warehoused the different kinds of corn arising from the tithes and "census," a sort of payment in commutation of tithes, which formed an important part of their revenue, but also made large purchases from the coast of Barbary, and from other countries, in hopes of reducing the price, and guarding against famine. In the year 1795, they were again induced to have recourse to the same line of conduct. Having this mode of providing for the general consumption, the government was at liberty to suit the laws respecting corn to the exigencies of the moment. A canton would forbid the exportation of corn one year, and might encourage it the next: the

* Already laid before Parliament.

the first step, in general, was the prohibition of all distillations, after which came that of exportation; which prohibition was enforced as long as the high price was kept up, though guided by no fixed price; at other times, the exportation was limited to a certain quantity weekly.

These ordinances were sometimes at variance with each other; the transit suffered, and the evil ceased by the time a remedy was found, or during the endless deliberations of the diets.

Under the "Regime Helvetique," all traffic between the cantons was free; but in all cases of a general interest, the central government, though it held out the most solemn protestations of supporting the freedom of commerce, was solely guided in its legislation by the urgency of the moment; and, indeed, war and internal troubles would not allow of any very regular and permanent arrangement.

Under the Act of Mediation (*i. e.* from 1803 to 1814), the cantons were found reciprocally to allow the enjoyment of free commerce for all the productions of the soil, both as regarding exportation, importation, and transit; the force of which obligation was never put to the test by any untoward circumstance.

The "Pacte Fédéral" of 1815 ensures to all the cantons the free export and purchase of their productions. This important clause, however, was neglected during the scarcity of 1817.

The restrictions and prohibitory ordinances were brought forward again in spite of the clamorous opposition made to them, insufficient purchases of corn were made at an immense loss; and when the evil was removed by a very abundant harvest, the diet gave additional force to the law of the Pacte Fédéral, in order to prevent a similar violation of the law in future. No general measure respecting the importation of corn had been adopted from the year 1803 to 1822.

In the year 1822 eleven cantons coalesced for the "Concordat" called the "de retorsion," the object of which was to protect themselves against the increasing restrictions put upon their commerce by the neighbouring states. One of the conditions of this "Concordat" was to tax the entrance of foreign corn; this tax was about 20 batz (2*s.* 6*d.* English money) the hundred weight of wheat. The opposition made to this measure by the cantons, not parties in this coalition, rendered its execution very difficult; as the latter, claiming the right of transit and free commerce, would not submit to the required formalities of certificates of the growth of the corn.

Corn from Germany abounded in the Zurich and Basle markets, and was from thence introduced into the other cantons. The French influence, and some other causes, dissolved the "Concordat de retorsion;" since which time the canton o Berne alone, and to little purpose, taxes foreign wheat 20 batz, or 15*d.* the hundred weight, as long as the market price does not exceed 10*l.* | 12*s.* 6*d.* | the hundred weight, which is taken as the mean of the 25 years preceding the scarcity of 1816.

All the other cantons, with the exception of the canton de Vaud, allow the free import of corn. The canton of Zurich had acted in the same manner as the canton de Vaud, for a few weeks in 1824, with a view to oblige the Grand Duke of Baden to abandon his new tarif of customs.

The system of public granaries is nearly abandoned now for various reasons, and principally as being a discouragement to speculators, whose means are found more efficacious in furnishing the necessary supplies. Geneva has, in proportion to its extent, the greatest number of granaries. Berne has a supply for the consumption of the canton for six weeks, maintained principally with a view to relieve the poor in case of necessity. Almost all the cantons have their buildings, but a supply of corn is seldom kept in them.

I have the honour, &c.

(signed) *Algernon Percy.*

N° 16.

Mr. Consul Falconar to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, Leghorn, January 23d, 1827.

IN consequence of the instructions contained in your despatch of the 15th ult., I find that in the year 1767, a law was enacted by Peter Leopold, then Grand Duke of Tuscany, by which the duty on foreign grain imported into his territory was reduced to seven soldi, equal to two-pence 4-5ths sterling per sack, three and 7-8ths

7–8ths of which were equal to the Winchester quarter of eight bushels; and one soldo further when exported.

Since then no alterations have taken place in the regulations with regard to the export and import, or in the duties imposed thereon.

On the exportation of grain, the produce of Tuscany, no duty whatever is paid.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *John Falconar.*
&c. &c. &c.

N° 17.

Lord Erskine to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Stutgardt, January 21st, 1827.

I HAD the honour of informing Lord Clanricarde, in my separate despatch of the 12th instant, that I had made a personal application to Count Beroldingen, requesting his assistance for the purpose of obtaining the information which his Lordship had directed me to furnish to you, upon the subject of the existing corn laws in Wurtemberg, and of the changes which have been made therein during the last fifty years, with a view to its being laid before the House of Lords.

In compliance with Count Beroldingen's request that this demand should be made in writing, in order that it might be referred to the department of finance, I addressed a note to H. E. on the same day, in which I repeated the points upon which I was instructed to apply for information; and I have now the honour of forwarding to you, Sir, a copy of the answer which I received the day before yesterday from Count Beroldingen.

From this note it appears, that little or no information can be furnished by the Wurtemberg Chancellerie, as to the state of the corn laws in this kingdom during the time of the Germanic empire, the laws under which that branch of trade was carried on having been under the control of the head of the empire. It appears, however, that the chief principle which they had in view, was that of favouring the importation and of discouraging the exportation of corn.

In consequence of the increase of agricultural produce during the part of the last century, it appears, further, that some modifications took place of the duties levied upon the exportation of wheat.

The first law which appears to have been passed in this country, upon the subject of the corn laws, after the dissolution of the German empire, when this kingdom acquired the right of legislating for herself upon this point, was in 1808, when the duties were fixed as follows:—

1°. Upon threshold grain (" grains separés de la calle")—

Imported - - - - 6 kreutzers, or about 2 *d.*
Exported - - - - 6 — .
and upon the transit - - 12 — or about 4 *d.*
upon the scheffel, or meud, a measure containing, upon an average, about 200 pounds (of wheat.)

2°. Upon unthreshold grain (" grain en calle"), the half of the above duties.

These duties prevailed till June 1821, when, with a view of encouraging exportation, all duties upon corn, flour, and bread, sent out of the country, were abolished.

The encouragement thus given to exportation, was confirmed by the last tarif, established in 1824, in this country; by which, likewise, the following duties were placed upon agricultural produce imported into the country, or in transit:

1°. Upon produce without husk (" sans calle"), or separated from the husk (" separés de la calle"), such as kidney beans, buck wheat, pease, barley, millet, lentils, rige wheat, and Turkish corn, 12 kreutzers (4 *d.*) the scheffel.

2°. A duty of six kreutzers the scheffel upon grain with husk, such as oats and spelt (espeautre).

These regulations are still in force, and there appears to be but little probability of their being altered, except in the event of a year of extreme scarcity, when the Wurtemberg government would resort either to the expedient of prohibiting the exportation of wheat, or to that of taking off the duties upon importation.

I have, &c.

The Right Hon. George Canning. (signed) *Erskine.*

Enclosure in N° 17.

Count Beroldingen to Lord Erskine.

LE soussigné, &c. ayant reçu la note du 12 courant, par laquelle S. E. Lord Erskine, &c. lui a fait part du désir de son gouvernement d'obtenir des renseignemens sur les lois en vigueur dans le Wurtemberg relatives à l'exportation et à l'importation des blés ainsi que sur les changemens qu'elles ont éprouvés dans l'espace des cinquante années revolues, il s'empresse de communiquer à S. E. les informations qu'il a recueillies à cet égard auprès de M. le Ministre des Finances.

Il doit observer en premier lieu à Lord Erskine, que pendant l'existence de l'ancien empire Germanique, le commerce des blés a été libre, et il n'était permis à aucun état d'empire d'étendre ou de multiplier les péages sans y avoir été autorisé par le consentement du chef de l'empire. Sans entrer dans les détails des droits qui furent établis dans ces tems passés, tant pour l'importation que pour l'exportation des céréales, il suffira d'observer qu'on avoit adopté ici en principe de favoriser la première, et de circumscrire la seconde, en diminuant en consequence les péages à l'entrée, et en les rehaussant à la sortie.

Plus tard on sentit la nécessité de passer à un système different, et le gouvernement commença à y conformer sa legislation dès la fin du dernier siècle, les produits du pays ayant considérablement augmenté.

Lorsque la dissolution de l'Empire Germanique, et la nouvelle position qu'elle amena pour le Wurtemberg, y donna la faculté de ne plus prendre conseil à ce sujet que des interêts du royaume, une première loi du 30 Mars 1808, relativement aux grains, determina que les droits de douane seraient fixés ainsi qu'il suit:—

1. Pour les grains séparés de la calle ( ) à raison d'un meuid ( ) Wurtemburgeois, à l'entré, à 6 kreutzers.
à la sortie, à 6 ditto.
pour le transit, à 12 ditto.

2. Les grains en calle ( ) furent imposés a la moitié de ce taux.

Ce tarif fut conservé jusqu'en 1821, quand, dans la vue de favoriser les exportations, par loi du 29 Juin 1821, et à commencer du 1 Juillet de la dite année, tout impôt à la sortie des blés, du pain, et des farines, fut aboli.

Cette franchise a été conservée dans la loi nouvelle sur les douances, publiée le 18 Juillet 1824; et par cette même loi l'importation, ainsi que le transit, ont étés imposés dans la proportion ci-dessous indiqué; on paye—

a. Pour les produits de la terre sans calle, ou séparés de la calle, telles que hariots, blé sarrasin, pois, orge, millet, lentilles, seigle, froment, et blé de Turquie, 12 kreutzer, à raison d'un muid.

b. La moitié de ce droit est payé pour les blés en calle, telles qu'avoine, petite epeautre, epeautre.

Il ne semble pas que les determinations qui ont été prises nouvellement sur ces objets, pourront de sitôt éprouver des variations, et à ce qu'on croit prévoir, elles n'eprouveraient quelque modification passagère qu'en suite d'un événement inattendu qui produerait une chute extraordinaire, ainsi que celle a eu lieu l'année 1816, et au commencement de 1817. Dans un pareil cas de circonstances momentanées pourrait engager le Gouv[t] à défendre entièrement toutes les exportations, ou seulement à abolir les droits par lesquels les importations sont actuellement imposées.

Le S. S. désire que S. E. Lord Erskine puisse, en suite de cette communication, fournir à son Gouv[t] tous les eclaircissemens qu'il lui importe d'obtenir par sa mission à la Cour Royale, relativement aux objets en question, et il saisit, &c.

Stutgart, le 18 Jan. 1827. (signe) *Beroldingen.*

PAPERS

Relative to Regulations existing in Foreign Countries, in respect to the Export and Import of Grain, during the last Fifty Years.

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N° 2.

CONSULS RETURNS.

RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

GROWTH AND AVERAGE PRICES OF FOREIGN CORN.

LIST.

1.—SWEDEN.	7.—BOURDEAUX.	12.—BOSTON.
2.—LIBAU.	8.—MARSEILLES.	13.—BALTIMORE.
3.—DANTZIC.	9.—CORUNNA.	14.—NEW ORLEANS.
4.—ANTWERP.	10.—ANCONA.	15.—CHARLESTON.
5.—OSTEND.		16.—SAVANNAH.
6.—BOULOGNE.	11.—WASHINGTON.	

Board of Trade,
16th February 1827.

Thomas Lack.

October 1826 to January 1827,

In continuation of N° 27 *of the present Session.*

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20 *February* 1827.

1.—SWEDEN.

(N° 5.)—Copy of a DESPATCH from Mr. Consul *Foy*, dated Stockholm, the 20th October 1826.—(Five Enclosures.)

SIR, Stockholm, Oct. 20th, 1826.

N° 1. I Beg to transmit to you, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, a List of the present Prices of Grain in this part of Sweden, which may be considered as about the average of the country. I have reduced them into sterling per Winchester quarter.

The crop of Wheat and Rye has turned out pretty well, but that of Spring Corn, namely Barley, Oats and Pease, has in some provinces totally failed, in others rendered little more than the seed sown, and upon the whole the result is most unfavourable; the more so, as Hay was equally stinted by the long drought, not giving in most places a third of the usual produce, and scarcely any where above the half, so that Grain will be wanted for cattle also during the winter. The crop of Potatoes also, the cultivation of which has of late years been so greatly extended, has in many districts turned out a scanty one, far short of the usual produce.

To give a correct idea of the effect on the prices of Grain, I have noted in Enclosure N° 1, those paid last year about this time, by which the advance will be seen.

The duties on Foreign Grain have been so high since 1820, as to be equivalent to a prohibition, and no importation could take place; but notwithstanding this protection of the landed interest, the Corn growers have not been able for some years back to obtain a saving price, the cultivation having so greatly increased. Sweden was formerly, even in the best of years, obliged to import from one to two hundred thousand quarters annually; whereas latterly, in the last six or seven years, she could have exported as much of her overabundant production, had the prices abroad given encouragement.

This excess of Grain above the ordinary wants has been converted into Spirits, to the great injury of the moral habits and health of the people in general.

N° 2. I enclose a Schedule of the Duties above referred to, and another of the present
N° 3. Rates, by which latter will be seen that Oats are even admitted free of duty. To encourage importation the more, foreign ships laden with Grain are placed on the footing of the native flag, as well in respect to payment of duty on the cargo, as of tonnage, port dues, &c.

N° 4. By the accompanying Statement of prices in all the provinces of Sweden, during the last ten years, will be observed how much they have in that time declined. It is the column of Swedish money that must be referred to for this information, as the sterling prices vary from the state of the exchange, the fluctuations in which are not considered as having at all affected the produce of agriculture, for very often when the exchange has been high, the prices of Grain have been at their lowest pitch; it may be interesting, however, to know the state of the exchange during that period, and I accordingly enclose a List.

N° 5. The Average of the exchange of this year will be still higher, the present rate being Rx.d. 13 p' £. whilst the par is only Rx.d. 4. 15; so that the dollar, instead of about 4*s.* 8*d.* is now worth only 1*s.* 6½*d.*

I hope to furnish you soon with further particulars, which may be interesting at this moment, on the subject of Grain; and

I have the honour to be &c.

(signed) *Geo. Foy.*

John Bidwell, Esq.

(Enclosure, N° 1.)

PRICES OF GRAIN AT STOCKHOLM: Transmitted in Mr. Foy's Despatch (N° 5) 1826.

Stockholm, 20th October 1826. Exchange 13 Rx.d. per £.

		Pr Swedish Barrel Bank Money.	Pr English Quarter in Sterling.
		Rd. sk. r.	£. *s. d.*
Prices at Stockholm, 20th October 1826.	Wheat	12 32 –	– 33 4
	Rye	11 12 –	– 29 8
	Barley	10 4 –	– 26 7
	Oats	7 24 –	– 19 9
	The Prices in October last Year, were as follows:		
Prices at Stockholm, October 1825.	Wheat	7 8 –	– 18 11
	Rye	6 24 –	– 17 2
	Barley	4 21 –	– 11 8
	Oats	2 36 –	– 7 3

(Enclosure, N° 2.)

SCHEDULE OF DUTIES PAYABLE ON FOREIGN GRAIN,

Imported into Sweden, according to the Tariff of 1820.

	Pr Swedish Barrel Bank Money.	Pr English Quarter in Sterling.
	Rd. sk. r.	£. *s. d.*
Wheat	14 32 –	– 38 8
Rye	13 – –	– 34 3
Barley	8 32 –	– 22 10
Oats	4 18 –	– 11 7
Pease	4 18 –	– 11 7

(Enclosure, N° 3.)

SCHEDULE OF DUTIES PAYABLE ON FOREIGN GRAIN,

according to the present Tariff.

Stockholm, October 1826.

	Pr Swedish Barrel Bank Money.	Pr English Quarter in Sterling.
	Rd. sk. r.	£. *s. d.*
Wheat	4 46 –	– 13 2
Rye	4 17 –	– 11 5
Barley	– 38 –	– 2 2
Oats	free.	—
Pease	1 9 –	– 3 1

(Enclosure, N° 4.)—AVERAGE OF THE ANNUAL PRICES OF GRAIN IN SWEDEN

	Year 1816.				Year 1817.			
	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.
	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.
Upsala	12 2 10	10 – –	7 – –	4 – –	15 – –	11 – –	7 32 –	5 40 –
Stockholm	12 36 –	9 24 –	7 24 –	4 32 –	14 – –	10 – –	7 24 –	4 16 –
Sodermanland	12 – –	9 16 –	7 16 –	4 16 –	13 16 –	10 – –	7 16 –	4 – –
Ostergothland	10 24 –	6 32 –	6 32 –	3 16 –	13 16 –	10 – –	6 32 –	4 – –
Gothland	– –	7 16 –	6 32 –	2 24 –	– –	8 16 –	6 – –	3 – –
Kalmare and Oland	12 – –	9 32 –	7 16 –	3 24 –	12 – –	9 32 –	7 – –	3 16 –
Blekinge	– –	10 32 –	8 – –	– – –	– –	11 – –	7 16 –	– –
Ionkoping	– –	9 32 –	6 36 –	4 8 –	– –	9 6 –	6 8 –	3 16 –
Kronoberg	– –	10 – –	8 – –	4 – –	– –	9 16 –	6 – –	3 28 –
Christianstad Going Dist	– –	9 – –	6 – –	3 16 –	– –	9 12 –	6 8 –	3 16 –
—— Asbo d°	– –	9 – –	6 – –	2 16 –	– –	9 12 –	6 8 –	3 16 –
—— Ingelstad d°	– –	8 – –	5 – –	2 16 –	– –	8 16 –	5 16 –	2 32 –
Malmohus	– –	8 16 –	5 – –	2 40 –	– –	8 – –	5 16 –	3 – –
Hallands	13 16 –	11 6 –	7 – –	4 – –	12 24 –	10 – –	6 – –	3 – –
Gothenburg	– –	10 – –	6 8 –	3 16 –	– –	10 – –	6 8 –	3 8 –
Elfsborg	– –	10 – –	6 40 –	4 – –	– –	9 24 –	6 – –	3 16 –
Skaraborg	14 24 –	10 – –	7 – –	4 24 –	14 – –	10 – –	6 – –	3 – –
Nerike	12 – –	9 16 –	7 16 –	4 16 –	13 16 –	11 36 –	7 36 –	4 – –
District of Mines	12 12 –	9 28 –	7 28 –	4 16 –	13 16 –	12 – –	8 – –	4 – –
Wermeland	– –	10 32 –	8 – –	5 – –	– –	10 32 –	7 – –	3 32 –
Kopparbergs	– –	11 8 –	9 16 –	5 28 –	– –	11 24 –	9 – –	5 – –
Westmanland	12 – –	9 16 –	7 8 –	4 32 –	14 16 –	11 8 –	7 32 –	4 16 –
Gestrikeland	12 8 –	9 16 –	6 32 –	5 – –	13 28 –	11 – –	8 – –	5 – –
Helsingeland	13 – –	9 24 –	6 32 –	4 16 –	13 28 –	11 – –	8 – –	4 32 –
Wester Norrland	– –	9 24 –	7 24 –	4 – –	– –	10 16 –	8 – –	4 32 –
Jemtland	– –	8 4 –	6 40 –	3 32 –	– –	9 10 8	7 32 –	4 16 –
Herjeadalen	– –	2 24 –	1 36 –	– –	– –	3 – –	2 – –	– –
Westerbotten	– –	10 – –	8 – –	– –	– –	10 32 –	8 – –	– –
Norrbotten	– –	10 32 –	8 32 –	– –	– –	10 – –	8 – –	– –
Olnd	– –	– –	– –	– –	– –	– –	– –	– –
TOTAL of every District, Banco Rd.	148 24 –	271 46 –	199 36 –	98 4 –	162 16 –	285 4 8	197 44 –	95 44 –
AVERAGE of the whole Country	12 18 –	9 18 –	6 32 –	3 44 $\frac{8}{25}$	13 25 –	9 40 –	6 41 –	3 39 –

DURING TEN YEARS, from 1816 to 1825: Transmitted in Mr. FOY'S DESPATCH, (N° 5) 1826.

Year 1818.				Year 1819.				Year 1820.			
Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.
Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.
15 24 –	11 32 –	9 – –	4 32 –	12 – –	10 – –	8 32 –	4 32 –	11 – –	8 32 –	6 – –	3 32 –
16 – –	11 – –	9 16 –	5 36 –	12 – –	9 40 –	9 – –	5 24 –	9 24 –	7 40 –	5 24 –	3 12 –
15 – –	10 42 –	8 28 –	5 14 –	12 8 –	10 – –	9 – –	6 – –	9 16 –	8 – –	5 32 –	3 16 –
16 – –	11 – –	8 32 –	4 16 –	12 – –	10 – –	9 – –	5 – –	9 – –	6 40 –	5 – –	2 35 –
- - -	9 16 –	6 32 –	2 32 –	- -	8 32 –	8 26 8	3 16 –	- -	6 42 8	5 8 –	2 42 8
13 16 –	10 32 –	8 – –	4 16 –	13 16 –	10 16 –	8 16 –	4 32 –	11 – –	8 16 –	7 16 –	4 – –
- - -	11 16 –	8 32 –	- - -	- -	12 – –	9 – –	- -	- -	9 32 –	6 32 –	—
- - -	10 24 –	8 16 –	4 30 –	- -	10 36 –	9 – –	5 12 –	- -	8 – –	6 32 –	4 – –
- - -	10 24 –	7 24 –	4 8 –	- -	12 – –	8 – –	5 28 –	- -	9 16 –	6 32 –	3 16 –
- - -	10 24 –	7 – –	4 – –	- -	10 8 –	6 32 –	4 24 –	- -	8 – –	5 16 –	3 4 –
- - -	10 24 –	7 – –	4 – –	- -	11 – –	6 40 –	4 36 –	- -	8 24 –	5 16 –	3 4 –
- - -	9 – –	6 24 –	3 24 –	- -	8 – –	6 21 4	3 32 –	- -	5 37 4	3 37 4	2 21 4
- - -	9 16 –	6 32 –	3 24 –	- -	8 32 –	6 10 8	4 16 –	- -	6 24 –	4 24 –	2 32 –
15 – –	12 – –	8 – –	4 32 –	13 – –	10 32 –	7 16 –	4 32 –	10 – –	7 16 –	5 – –	3 16 –
- - -	11 32 –	8 – –	4 – –	- -	10 24 –	7 24 –	4 8 –	- -	7 24 –	5 24 –	3 – –
- - -	11 54 –	7 32 –	4 8 –	- -	10 – –	7 16 –	4 – –	- -	9 – –	6 32 –	3 16 –
13 16 –	9 32 –	7 24 –	4 – –	14 32 –	11 – –	7 24 –	3 40 –	9 16 –	6 32 –	5 16 –	2 32 –
14 – –	12 – –	8 32 –	5 – –	12 – –	9 24 –	9 16 –	5 – –	10 24 –	8 – –	6 – –	3 – –
14 20 –	12 12 –	8 44 –	5 – –	12 16 –	9 40 –	9 32 –	5 – –	10 40 –	8 16 –	6 16 –	3 – –
- - -	12 – –	8 – –	4 – –	- -	10 32 –	8 16 –	5 – –	- -	7 16 –	6 – –	3 – –
- - -	13 – –	10 12 –	6 – –	- -	13 – –	11 – –	6 32 –	- -	11 – –	8 32 –	5 16 –
15 20 –	11 16 –	8 32 –	6 16 –	12 32 –	9 36 –	8 36 –	5 16 –	9 8 –	7 40 –	5 24 –	3 – –
15 6 –	11 24 –	8 24 –	5 12 –	14 12 –	10 16 –	8 24 –	5 8 –	13 – –	9 24 –	6 – –	4 8 –
15 6 –	11 42 –	9 4 –	5 12 –	14 12 –	11 16 –	9 4 –	5 14 –	13 16 –	10 24 –	7 – –	4 16 –
- - -	12 – –	9 40 –	5 16 –	- -	10 – –	7 12 –	4 16 –	- -	10 – –	6 32 –	4 – –
- - -	10 44 –	8 40 –	4 44 –	- -	11 – –	9 – –	5 16 –	- -	11 24 –	9 – –	5 16 –
- - -	3 – –	2 – –	- -	- -	9 – –	7 – –	4 28 –	- -	6 32 –	4 24 –	3 16 –
- - -	11 16 –	8 40 –	- -	- -	10 – –	8 – –	- -	- -	9 24 –	7 – –	—
- - -	10 40 –	8 16 –	- -	- -	10 16 –	8 16 –	- -	- -	9 8 –	7 12 –	—
- - -	- - -	- - -	- -	- -	- -	- - -	- -	9 16 –	7 – –	5 – –	2 32 –
178 12 –	313 3 4	233 – –	116 36 –	154 32 –	298 27 –	238 30 –	125 30 –	135 16 –	247 4 –	181 1 4	91 47 –
14 41 –	10 38 –	8 1 –	4 15 –	12 42 –	10 14 –	8 9 –	4 40 –	10 20 –	8 11 –	6 2 –	3 19 –

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The preceding Account (Enclosure, N° 4.)—*continued.*

	Year 1821.				Year 1822.			
	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.
	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.
Upsala	10 – –	6 24 –	5 – –	3 – –	10 – –	6 32 –	6 32 –	3 24 –
Stockholm	10 – –	6 – –	6 – –	3 16 –	9 13 –	6 16 –	6 2 –	3 28 –
Sodermanland	9 – –	5 32 –	5 – –	3 – –	9 – –	5 32 –	5 24 –	3 16 –
Ostergothland	8 – –	5 – –	4 – –	2 16 –	8 – –	5 16 –	5 16 –	3 16 –
Gothland	– –	4 38 –	3 16 –	1 32 –	– –	4 32 –	4 – –	2 – –
Kalmare and Oland	10 – –	7 16 –	6 – –	3 – –	9 16 –	6 – –	6 – –	3 16 –
Blekinge	– –	8 32 –	6 32 –	– –	– –	8 – –	6 32 –	– –
Jonkoping	– –	6 16 –	4 32 –	3 8 –	– –	6 16 –	5 16 –	3 24 –
Kronoberg	– –	8 – –	5 16 –	3 16 –	– –	8 – –	5 16 –	3 16 –
Christianstad Going Dist	– –	6 32 –	4 32 –	3 – –	– –	6 16 –	5 – –	3 – –
——— Asbo - d°	– –	6 32 –	4 32 –	3 – –	– –	6 16 –	5 – –	3 – –
——— Ingelstad - d°	– –	5 – –	4 – –	2 16 –	– –	5 16 –	4 16 –	2 16 –
Malmohus	– –	5 16 –	3 40 –	2 16 –	– –	5 16 –	4 16 –	2 32 –
Hallands	8 16 –	6 16 –	4 – –	2 24 –	8 36 –	6 24 –	4 32 –	2 32 –
Gothenburg	– –	6 12 –	4 18 –	2 14 –	– –	6 18 –	5 – –	3 – –
Elfsborg	– –	6 32 –	4 32 –	2 12 –	– –	6 32 –	5 – –	3 – –
Skaraborg	8 24 –	6 – –	5 – –	2 32 –	8 24 –	6 – –	5 – –	3 – –
Nerike	8 – –	5 8 –	4 32 –	2 32 –	9 – –	6 – –	6 – –	3 24 –
District of Mines	8 16 –	5 24 –	5 – –	2 32 –	9 16 –	6 16 –	6 16 –	3 24 –
Wermeland	– –	7 16 –	6 – –	3 – –	– –	7 16 –	6 16 –	3 32 –
Kopparbergs	– –	8 – –	7 16 –	4 12 –	– –	8 – –	7 32 –	4 16 –
Westmanland	9 40 –	5 16 –	5 – –	3 – –	8 36 –	6 4 –	6 12 –	3 24 –
Gestrikeland	10 32 –	6 32 –	5 16 –	3 – –	9 40 –	6 32 –	6 16 –	3 24 –
Helsingeland	11 – –	7 32 –	6 – –	3 32 –	10 12 –	7 24 –	7 8 –	3 40 –
Wester Norrland	– –	8 – –	6 24 –	3 16 –	– –	8 – –	6 32 –	4 – –
Jemtland	– –	7 2 –	3 36 –	2 42 4	– –	10 24 –	8 12 –	5 – –
Herjeadalen	– –	2 4 –	1 24 –	– –	– –	9 – –	6 24 –	4 – –
Westerbotten	– –	9 16 –	7 16 –	– –	– –	8 8 –	6 40 –	– –
Norrbotten	– –	9 8 –	6 32 –	– –	– –	9 – –	8 – –	– –
Oland	8 32 –	5 16 –	4 16 –	2 8 –	– –	– –	– –	– –
TOTAL of every District, Banco Rd.	20 16 –	193 40 –	150 30 –	73 40 4	110 1 –	198 22 –	171 26 –	87 20 –
AVERAGE of the whole Country	9 12 –	6 22 –	5 1 –	2 41 –	9 8 –	6 47 –	5 44 –	3 17 –

Year 1823.				Year 1824.				Year 1825.			
Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.
Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.	Rd. sk. r.
8 – –	6 32 –	5 – –	3 – –	7 24 –	5 16 –	4 – –	2 24 –	8 24 –	7 – –	5 16 –	3 16 –
8 12 –	6 16 –	4 24 –	3 – –	8 – –	6 – –	4 16 –	2 36 –	8 – –	6 32 –	5 – –	3 16 –
9 – –	6 – –	5 – –	4 – –	8 – –	6 16 –	5 32 –	3 16 –	7 – –	6 – –	5 – –	3 16 –
8 – –	5 16 –	5 16 –	3 16 –	8 – –	6 16 –	5 32 –	3 16 –	6 32 –	6 8 –	5 – –	3 – –
- -	4 40 –	4 – –	2 – –	- -	5 16 –	5 – –	2 32 –	- -	4 – –	3 16 –	2 – –
9 16 –	6 16 –	5 24 –	3 16 –	9 16 –	6 16 –	5 24 –	3 16 –	8 36 –	6 – –	4 32 –	3 – –
- -	6 32 –	5 – –	- -	- -	6 32 –	5 – –	- -	- -	6 32 –	5 16 –	—
- -	6 16 –	5 16 –	3 24 –	- -	6 32 –	5 24 –	4 – –	- -	6 32 –	5 24 –	4 – –
- -	7 16 –	4 32 –	3 – –	- -	7 16 –	4 32 –	3 – –	- -	7 16 –	5 – –	3 16 –
- -	5 32 –	4 16 –	2 16 –	- -	5 – –	4 – –	2 16 –	- -	5 32 –	4 24 –	2 32 –
- -	5 32 –	4 16 –	2 16 –	- -	5 – –	4 – –	2 16 –	- -	5 32 –	4 24 –	2 32 –
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8 25 –	6 18 –	4 45 –	2 40 –	8 40 –	6 19 –	4 47 –	2 39 –	7 44 –	6 28 –	5 2 –	3 3 –

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The preceding Account (Enclosure, N° 4.)—*continued.*

AVERAGE PRICES OF GRAIN IN SWEDEN, during Ten Years, from 1816 to 1825.

YEARS.	WHEAT. Average Exchange for the £. Sterling, in Swedish Bank Paper.		WHEAT. Barrel Swedish Bank Paper.		RYE. English Quarter Sterling, at Average Exchange for Bank Paper.		RYE. Barrel, Swedish Bank Paper.		BARLEY. Exchange Quarter Sterling, at Average Exchange for Bank Paper.		BARLEY. Barrel, Swedish Bank Paper.	
	Rd.	*sk.*	*Rd.*	*sk.*	*sk.*	*d.*	*Rd.*	*sk.*	*sk.*	*d.*	*Rd.*	*sk.*
1816.	10	40	12	18	39	2	9	18	29	8	6	32
1817.	9	36 1/3	13	25	47	6	9	40	34	7	6	41
1818.	9	25 1/3	14	41	53	6	10	38	38	10	8	1
1819.	11	8 1/12	12	42	39	6	10	14	31	7	8	9
1820.	12	20 1/4	10	20	28	9	8	11	22	9	6	2
1821.	11	40	9	12	26	10	6	22	18	9	5	1
1822.	11	42 1/3	9	8	26	6	6	47	20	2	5	44
1823.	12	1 1/12	8	25	24	3	6	18	18	2	4	45
1824.	12	10 5/12	8	40	24	9	6	19	17	11	4	47
1825.	11	27 1/4	7	44	23	5	6	28	19	6	5	2

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YEARS.	OATS. English Quarter Sterling, at Average Exchange for Bank Paper.		OATS. Barrel, Swedish Bank Paper.		OATS. English Quarter Sterling, at Average Exchange for Bank Paper.	
	sk.	*d.*	*Rd.*	*sk.*	*sk.*	*d.*
1816.	21	1	3	44	12	5
1817.	24	1	3	39	13	4
1818.	28	11	4	15	15	6
1819.	25	2	4	40	14	10
1820.	16	8	3	19	9	5
1821.	14	7	2	41	8	3
1822.	17	1	3	17	9	8
1823.	14	1	2	40	8	1
1824.	14	–	2	39	7	11
1825.	14	11	3	3	9	1

(Enclosure, N° 5.)

TABLE OF EXCHANGE AT STOCKHOLM, in Rix Dollars, Bank Money for the £. Sterling, at the close of each Month, during Ten successive Years, 1816 to 1825, with the Average of each Year.

	1816.	1817.	1818.	1819.	1820.	1821.	1822.	1823.	1824.	1825.
January - -	8 44	10 28	9 20	10 4	12 40	12 8	11 44	12 4	12 12	12 11
February - -	10 16	9 16	9 24	10 12	12 24	12 4	11 44	12 4	12 6	12 10
March - - -	10 24	9 8	9 24	10 26	12 24	12 10	11 24	12 –	12 10	12 –
April - - -	10 16	10 24	9 18	10 4	12 30	11 36	11 34	11 44	12 10	11 25
May - - -	10 20	10 8	9 20	10 20	12 36	11 12	11 42	12 4	12 10	11 20
June - - -	11 –	10 –	9 36	10 40	12 36	11 22	12 6	11 44	12 8	11 21
July - - -	11 8	9 40	9 32	11 25	12 20	11 28	11 46	11 37	12 11	11 14
August - - -	11 20	9 40	9 28	11 36	12 8	11 40	11 42	11 44	12 12	11 18
September - -	11 20	9 32	9 20	11 28	11 40	11 24	11 40	12 –	12 12	11 13
October - -	11 20	9 8	9 16	11 40	12 8	11 44	11 44	12 10	12 11	11 20
November - -	11 20	9 4	9 22	12 16	12 8	12 8	11 46	12 12	12 11	11 14
December - -	11 32	9 36	9 44	13 –	12 18	12 4	12 –	12 12	12 12	11 17
B^{co} Rx. d - -	130 –	117 4	114 16	134 11	149 3	142 –	142 28	144 23	146 29	138 39
Average Exchange p' £. St^{g} B^{co} Rx. d	10 40	9 $36\frac{1}{3}$	9 $25\frac{1}{3}$	11 $8\frac{11}{12}$	12 $20\frac{1}{4}$	11 40	11 $42\frac{1}{3}$	12 $1\frac{11}{12}$	12 $10\frac{5}{12}$	11 $27\frac{1}{4}$

(N° 6.)—Copy of a DESPATCH from Mr. Consul *G. Foy*, transmitting Prices of Grain in Sweden, from 1624 to 1825, &c. and dated Stockholm, 27th October 1826.—(Three Enclosures.)

SIR, Stockholm, 27th October 1826.

SINCE my Report by the last mail, I have obtained the Prices of Grain in this country from 1624, namely the Average of Rye and Barley, in which sorts of Grain, the half of each, the crown rents, &c. are paid. I have the honour to enclose it with the addition of the corresponding English prices (per quarter) which I have reduced at the par of exchange 4 Rxd. 15 sk. per £.

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I enclose further a Summary of said Prices in averages of certain periods, which have reference to fluctuations in the circulating medium of the country, and which show that although the exchange of one period compared with another, may have varied from 100 to 150 or even 200 per cent, the Prices of Agricultural Produce have not been affected in proportion thereby.

Whilst collecting the particulars in question, I have had an opportunity of comparing the Swedish prices with the *English*, of which I herewith transmit a Statement, but for the correctness of the latter I cannot answer.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *Geo. Foy.*
Superintendent of the Consular Service,
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure, N° 1.)

AVERAGE PRICE OF GRAIN IN SWEDEN,

Half RYE and Half BARLEY, during 202 Years, from 1624 to 1825, reduced into Sterling per Quarter, taking the Swedish Barrel, equal to 4⅔ Bushels, and the Exchange at Par 4 Dollars 15 shillings per £. sterling.—Transmitted in Mr. Foy's Despatch (N° 6.)

Stockholm, 27th October 1826.

YEARS.	SWEDISH PRICE per Barrel.	STERLING PRICE per Quarter.	YEARS.	SWEDISH PRICE per Barrel.	STERLING PRICE per Quarter.
	Rd. sk. r.	*s. d.*		*Rd. sk. r.*	*s. d.*
1624	1 40 –	14/7	1654	1 36 –	13/11
1625	1 40 –	14/7	1655	1 42 4	15/3
1626	1 40 –	14/7	1656	2 11 6	17/11
1627	1 44 –	15/3	1657	2 39 6	22/6
1628	2 10 2	17/7	1658	1 30 –	12/11
1629	1 28 9	12/9	1659	1 42 4	14/11
1630	2 28 9	20/8	1660	2 39 6	22/6
1631	2 19 3	19/1	1661	2 25 3	20/
1632	1 27 9	12/7	1662	2 25 3	20/
1633	2 28 –	20/6	1663	2 45 7	23/6
1634	2 24 –	19/11	1664	2 25 3	20/
1635	2 24 –	19/11	1665	2 4 11	16/9
1636	1 32 –	13/3	1666	1 43 4	15/2
1637	1 32 –	13/3	1667	1 43 4	15/2
1638	1 40 –	14/7	1668	1 43 4	15/2
1639	1 40 –	14/7	1669	1 25 2	12/1
1640	1 28 10	12/9	1670	1 25 2	12/1
1641	1 28 10	12/9	1671	1 25 2	12/1
1642	2 32 –	21/2	1672	1 43 4	15/1
1643	2 6 5	16/11	1673	2 18 4	18/11
1644	2 6 5	16/11	1674	1 7 8	9/3
1645	2 – –	15/11	1675	2 29 9	20/10
1646	1 28 10	12/9	1676	1 44 2	15/3
1647	1 16 –	10/7	1677	1 28 –	12/7
1648	1 19 3	11/1	1678	1 44 2	15/3
1649	2 36 –	21/10	1679	2 11 6	17/11
1650	4 36 –	39/10	1680	1 44 2	15/3
1651	3 36 –	29/10	1681	1 16 –	10/7
1652	4 24 –	35/10	1682	1 36 –	13/11
1653	1 30 –	12/11	1683	1 40 –	14/7

YEARS.	SWEDISH PRICE per Barrel.	STERLING PRICE per Quarter.
	Rd. sk. r.	*s. d.*
1684	2 8 –	17/3
1685	2 32 –	20/8
1686	2 16 –	18/7
1687	1 38 –	14/3
1688	1 44 –	15/3
1689	2 10 –	17/7
1690	2 8 –	17/7
1691	2 4 –	16/3
1692	1 32 –	13/3
1693	1 32 –	13/3
1694	3 – –	23/10
1695	2 44 –	23/2
1696	2 40 –	22/6
1697	3 16 –	26/6
1698	3 24 –	27/10
1699	2 24 –	19/10
1700	2 32 –	21/2
1701	1 40 –	14/7
1702	1 32 –	13/3
1703	2 – –	15/11
1704	2 12 –	17/11
1705	2 12 –	17/11
1706	2 16 –	18/7
1707	2 40 –	22/6
1708	3 16 –	26/6
1709	2 – –	15/11
1710	2 24 –	19/10
1711	1 40 –	14/7
1712	1 32 –	13/3
1713	1 32 –	13/3
1714	2 8 –	17/3
1715	1 25 9	13/11
1716	2 19 9	19/2
1717	2 25 5	20/
1718	3 – –	23/10
1719	3 28 9	28/8
1720	2 – –	15/11
1721	1 32 –	13/3
1722	2 5 4	16/9
1723	2 37 4	22/
1724	2 42 8	23/
1725	2 21 4	19/4
1726	3 16 –	26/6
1727	2 26 8	20/4
1728	2 10 8	17/9
1729	1 26 8	12/4
1730	1 26 8	12/4
1731	1 37 4	14/1
1732	1 32 –	13/3
1733	2 5 4	16/9
1734	2 – –	15/11
1735	2 21 4	19/4
1736	2 37 4	22/
1737	1 42 8	15/1
1738	1 32 –	13/3
1739	2 – –	15/11
1740	2 16 –	18/7
1741	2 33 8	21/6
1742	3 4 10	24/8
1743	2 28 10	20/8
1744	2 24 –	19/10
1745	2 – –	15/11
1746	2 28 10	20/8
1747	3 14 5	26/2
1748	3 9 8	25/6
1749	3 – –	23/10
1750	2 33 8	21/6
1751	1 33 8	13/7
1752	2 9 8	17/7
1753	2 28 10	20/8
1754	2 12 –	17/9
1755	2 19 3	19/
1756	2 28 10	20/8
1757	3 1 –	24/
1758	3 27 4	28/4
1759	2 36 2	21/10
1760	1 15 –	10/5
1761	1 26 5	12/3
1762	2 1 11	16/3
1763	3 1 1	24/
1764	2 47 6	23/9
1765	3 1 1	24/
1766	4 10 11	33/7
1767	3 31 2	29/
1768	2 19 2	19/
1769	2 28 9	20/8
1770	2 19 2	19/
1771	2 38 4	22/2
1772	4 – –	31/10
1773	4 4 –	32/6
1774	3 – –	23/10
1775	2 16 –	18/7
1776	3 – –	23/10
1777	2 40 –	22/6
1778	2 32 –	21/2
1779	2 8 –	17/2
1780	2 5 4	16/9
1781	2 28 –	20/6
1782	2 17 4	18/8
1783	2 17 4	18/8
1784	2 24 –	19/10
1785	2 36 –	21/10
1786	3 8 –	25/2
1787	2 39 4	22/4
1788	2 42 8	23/
1789	3 18 –	26/10
1790	3 40 8	30/8
1791	3 18 4	26/11
1792	2 32 6	21/3
1793	3 10 4	25/6
1794	3 12 7	26/
1795	3 21 1	27/4
1796	3 21 1	27/4
1797	3 7 8	25/2
1798	2 26 10	20/4
1799	3 30 3	28/10
1800	3 45 6	31/6
1801	6 – 4	47/8
1802	4 23 –	35/7
1803	4 – –	31/10
1804	4 14 10	34/3
1805	4 – –	31/10
1806	4 44 2	39/1
1807	5 45 –	47/2
1808	5 25 11	44/
1809	5 26 10	44/2
1810	4 – –	31/10
1811	2 2 5	16/4
1812	3 2 10	24/3
1813	4 33 8	37/3
1814	4 18 8	34/11
1815	3 1 11	24/2
	Bank Paper ex.	for Bank Paper.
1816	3 1 –	25/5
1817	8 16 –	29/4
1818	9 20 –	33/11
1819	9 12 –	28/5
1820	7 16 –	19/8
1821	5 36 –	16/8
1822	6 22 –	18/8
1823	5 32 –	16/2
1824	5 33 –	15/11
1825	5 39 –	17/3

(Enclosure, N° 2.)

SUMMARY of the annexed TABLE divided into PERIODS, with the Average of each Period.

YEARS.	Swedish Price, per Barrel.	Sterling Price per Quarter, at par of Exchange.
	Rd. sk. r. Specie.	*s. d.*
From 1624 to 1632 - - -	2 – 2	15/11
1633 - 1638 - - -	2 5 4	16/9
1639 - 1648 - - -	1 39 10	14/7
1649 - 1660 - - -	2 32 7	21/4
1661 - 1665 - - -	2 25 3	20/1
1666 - 1673 - - -	1 29 6	12/11
1674 - 1680 - - -	1 43 7	15/2
1681 - 1709 - - -	2 11 10	17/9
1710 - 1714 - - -	1 46 5	15/7
1715 - 1719 - - -	2 30 2	13/
1720 - 1740 - - -	2 8 8	17/5
1741 - 1756 - - -	2 28 4	20/6
1757 - 1776 - - -	2 42 7	23/
1777 - 1790 - - -	2 31 9	20/8
1791 - 1803 - - -	3 29 8	28/10
1803 - 1816 - - -	4 13 –	33/11
	Bank Money.	
1816 - 1825 - - -	7 7 –	22/2

(Enclosure, N° 3.)

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the AVERAGE PRICES in SWEDEN and in ENGLAND, of a Barrel of GRAIN, consisting half of Rye and the other half of Barley, at different Periods between 1449 and 1816, reduced into Sterling at the Par of Exchange.

YEARS.	Average Price in England of a Measure equal to a Swedish Barrel.		Average Price in Sweden of the Measure, called a Barrel, equal to 4 ⅔ English Bushels.	
	Sterling per Barrel.	Swedish Specie per Barrel.	Sterling per Barrel.	Swedish Specie per Barrel.
From to	*sh. d.*	*Rxd. sk. r.*	*sh. d.*	*Rxd. sk. r.*
— - 1449 - -	5 5	1 8 1	– 8 ⅔	– 7 6
— - 1555 - -	3 10 ½	– 40 2	4 7 ½	1 – –
1633 - 1638 - -	17 2	3 33 9	9 9	2 5 4
1638 - 1700 - -	17 7	3 38 1	9 7	2 3 2
1701 - 1720 - -	15 2	3 13 –	10 6	2 12 11
1721 - 1740 - -	13 10	2 47 4	10 6	2 8 8
1741 - 1756 - -	12 10	2 37 –	11 11	2 28 4
1756 - 1776 - -	13 6	2 43 10	13 5	2 42 7
1777 - 1790 - -	– –	– – –	12 3	2 31 9
1791 - 1802 - -	– –	– – –	16 10	3 29 8
1803 - 1814 - -	– –	– – –	19 10	4 13 –
1815 - — - -	31 –	6 32 10	14 1	3 1 11

(N° 7.)—Copy of a LETTER from Consul *Foy*, dated Stockholm, November 10th, 1826.

SIR, Stockholm, November 10th, 1826.

I HAVE the honour to enclose duplicates of my Despatches to you N° 5 and 6, and of the Enclosures therein referred to.

There is not here any means of ascertaining accurately the quantity of Corn in private hands, as there are no public granaries, but it is believed that the stock in hand throughout the country, just before the harvest, did not exceed 30 or at most 40,000 quarters.

In the storehouse of the Crown there were on the 30th of June last, the following quantities:—

Rye	30,511 barrels ab^{t} - - - - -	17,800 quarters.
Barley	54,634 - - - - - - - - -	31,870
Oats	2,442 - - - - - - - - -	1,420
Rye Flour	37,235 - - - - - - - - -	6,206 hundred weight.
Barley d^{o}.	3,571 - - - - - - - - - -	528
Bread soft	957 - - - - - - - - - -	160
Biscuit	5,962 - - - - - - - - - -	994

Since the failure of the crop was apprehended, the importation of foreign Corn into Stockholm, has been as follows;

By the Government about - -	30,000 barrels.
And by Individuals - - -	36,000
together	66,000
or in Winchester quarters	36,500

The Importation into Gothenburg and the other ports of Sweden, may be taken at 30,000 quarters; making with the above, and the remainder of the old Stock in the hands of individuals, and of the Crown, a total of about 160,000 quarters to supply the deficiency of a short Crop.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *George Foy.*

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

2.—LIBAU.

Copy of a DESPATCH from His Majesty's Consul at Libau, dated 6/18th December 1820.—(One Enclosure, numbered 1, 2, & 3.)

SIR,

HEREWITH I have the honour of transmitting the following Returns, in conformity to the Circular of the 29th of June; requesting you will lay the same before Mr. Secretary Canning.

1st.—An Account of the quantities of the different sorts of Grain, exported from the port of Libau since the year 1760.

2d.—An Account of the quantities of the different sorts of Grain exported from the port of Windaw, since the year 1813.

3d.—An Account of the Average Prices of the different sorts of Grain since the year 1812 at this port. Windaw, being constantly guided by the prices in this market, the prices there will probably have been a trifle lower, it was not possible to ascertain them accurately. The list of prices, I am sorry to say, only commences from the year after the French invasion, that period having induced many mercantile establishments to destroy a great part of their old books, &c. A list of prices from the year 1760 was however promised to me, in consequence of which I hitherto deferred dispatching the foregoing accounts.

Illness having, however, for the last three months prevented the performance of that promise, I did not consider myself justified in waiting any longer, and shall thus transmit the list of prices during the preceding years, as soon as I can possibly obtain the same.

As to the quantities exported from the ports of Libau and Windaw, some allowance ought to be made as to quantities exported in an illegal manner, of which no cognizance was taken in the Custom House Returns, and which were not inconsiderable formerly; though the present strict execution of the laws of customs will probably prevent any mercantile depredation in this respect for the future, the more so, as the duties on Grain are now so very trifling. A great quantity of Corn grown in this duchy is moreover sent to Riga, and the exportation by land is by no means so inconsiderable.

I have, &c.

(signed) *Francis Kienitz.*

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure.)

N° 1.—RETURN of CORN and GRAIN shipped from the Port of LIBAU, since the Year 1774, being the latest Period any Records could be collected.

Year.	Wheat. Q. W.M.	Rye. Q. W.M.	Barley. Q. W.M.	Oats. Q. W.M.	Year.	Wheat. Q. W.M.	Rye. Q. W.M.	Barley. Q. W.M.	Oats. Q. W.M.
1774	5,205	93,060	47,243	1,416	1800	9,470	1,786	—	—
1775	3,971	79,535	26,590	145	1801	3,807	49,467	40,561	8,201
1776	1,398	46,729	11,468	—	1802	7,743	74,847	51,747	12,139
1777	5,029	79,253	8,577	15	1803	11,679	68,926	56,810	13,673
1778	15,850	110,422	31,396	3,200	1804	10,904	44,908	15,768	177
1779	11,056	85,728	40,514	2,242	1805	21,714	66,023	60,194	5,915
1780	15,839	95,598	65,994	737	1806	11,656	31,795	16,602	6,077
1781	16,426	52,534	28,035	1,342	1807	5,675	5,698	3,019	10,767
1782	22,571	55,836	23,229	870	1808	prohibited.			
1783	17,965	122,987	55,672	7,596	1809	—	—	—	—
1784	8,577	84,976	49,502	7,360	1810	8,131	4,618	2,115	—
1785	5,005	53,238	36,436	4,763	1811	2,784	20,915	8,330	3,276
1786	552	22,865	15,491	7,140	1812	9,564	55,847	29,398	4,262
1787	411	14,722	16,967	2,301	1813	7,625	30,467	15,803	3,849
1788	211	20,621	10,316	2,744	1814	4,418	84,870	31,584	3,554
1789	2,232	50,971	24,756	9,808	1815	8,225	48,527	28,082	17,743
1790	2,796	115,020	4,993	678	1816	19,774	51,747	36,177	2,128
1791	2,784	88,371	16,438	1,888	1817	6,191	64,636	44,274	11,387
1792	8,742	120,919	51,124	13,643	1818	4,100	47,940	11,146	21,608
1793	9,494	97,102	44,532	21,741	1819	705	41,642	37,306	11,430
1794	11,221	75,294	32,641	14,396	1820	1,822	58,115	42,969	9,322
1795	wanting.				1821	729	32,041	28,329	6,240
1796					1822	1,387	13,096	21,327	9,204
1797					1823	305	22,325	43,181	3,023
1798	6,052	80,887	52,898	7,434	1824	—	5,687	29,704	3,761
1799	11,573	80,534	38,258	9,410	1825	177	18,212	28,940	693

N° 2.—RETURN OF CORN AND GRAIN shipped from the Port of WINDAW, from the Year 1813 to the present time.

YEAR.	WHEAT. Q. W.M.	RYE. Q. W.M.	BARLEY. Q. W.M.	OATS. Q. W.M.
1813 - -	- - -	5,922	1,650	—
1814 - -	- - -	6,043	1,903	542
1815 - -	118	4,589	1,535	—
1816 - -	1,423	4,962	3,492	—
1817 - -	505	7,450	5,880	2,168
1818 - -	- - -	7,273	9,887	1,135
1819 - -	17	8,777	4,672	2,109
1820 - -	95	10,172	3,722	1,976
1821 - -	- - -	5,414	1,354	—
1822 - -	13	3,554	3,474	—
1823 - -	- - -	3,087	6,232	—
1824 - -	- - -	2,016	4,318	—
1825 - -	76	82	7,654	774

N° 3.—AN ACCOUNT OF THE AVERAGE PRICES OF GRAIN, during a series of Years, calculated at the Average Exchange of each Year.

YEAR.	Exchange.	WHEAT. Q. W.M.	RYE. Q. W.M.	BARLEY. Q. W.M.	OATS. Q. W.M.
	Silver Copecs to the £. Ster^{g}				
1812 - -	400	49/10	24/4	16/3	15/2
1813 - -	384	66/6	33/7	25/5	16/7
1814 - -	433	50/10	30/8	21/8	12/4
1815 - -	501	44/9	28/–	19/4	11/5
1816 - -	577	41/–	26/10	19/9	10/2
1817 - -	554	59/6	37/8	28/3	18/8
1818 - -	527	56/2	35/2	29/–	17/6
1819 - -	565	40/1	26/–	22/8	13/7
1820 - -	624	26/7	17/11	13/7	9/2
1821 - -	650	23/–	15/2	12/4	7/8
1822 - -	646	23/7	14/10	12/6	7/10
1823 - -	659	23/3	16/7	13/5	8/4
1824 - -	655	19/5	11/2	9/5	7/9
1825 - -	611	19/11	10/10	10/–	7/4

Libau, 6-18th December 1826.

Francis Kienitz,
H. B. Majesty's Consul for Courland.

3.—DANTZIC.

Copy of a DESPATCH from Mr. Consul Gibsone, dated Dantzic, 20th November 1826.

British Consulate Dantzic,
SIR, 20th November 1826.

I NOW have the honour to acquit myself of the duty to transmit Lists, from the beginning of the last century:—

Of the Prices of Grain, &c. in Dantzic and in Prussian Money.

Of the Prices of Grain reduced to Sterling.

Of the Quantities of Grain exported; and,

Also Notes of the Expenses on Grain, brought from Poland, and shipped from hence.—

On each of these I have made the remarks that occurred to me on the subject, pointing out some errors in the Tables attached to the very able report of Mr. Jacob.

I regret not having been able to send these Lists, &c. earlier; but I had much difficulty in finding out regular quotations of the prices of Corn, of Ducats, and of the Exchanges; and the reduction of the prices to sterling money has required no little time. I am satisfied that all the information contained in these papers is correct.

The papers being so bulky I must send them by the Post-Waggon, which departs to-day for Hamburg, from whence they will be forwarded by the Packet.—

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient humble servant,

Alexander Gibsone,
Consul.

To
John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Copy of a DESPATCH from His Majesty's Consul at Dantzic, dated 20th November 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

British Consulate, Dantzic,
SIR, 20th November 1826.

I DO myself the honour to enclose Duplicates of two Despatches of this date, of the expenses on Grain from Poland, and shipment from hence; of the quantities of Grain exported since 1700, and the yearly average Prices of Wheat since 1703, extracted from the List sent.

These prices differ greatly in the early part of the period, from those in the Table attached to Mr. Jacob's Report; and it merits attention, that the prices now are much the same as they were a century ago.

So greatly has Dantzic money gradually been debased, that Rye, of which the price in 1618 and 1619 was from *f.* 44 to *f.* 56 per last, was in fact dearer than in the latter years, as the circulating medium (the Dutch ducat) which gradually attained the price of *f.* 12 (at which rate it was then fixed, for all payments of Polish produce

and bills) was in these two mentioned years only *f.* 2 ½; thus making the price per quarter Winchester, equal to from 15*s.* 8*d.* to 19*s.* 11*d.* sterling, taking the relative intrinsic value of the ducat and the pound, thus making the price higher than for some years past.

The present stock of Wheat is supposed not to exceed 180,000 Winchester quarters, and at least 20,000 quarters have already been brought to market of the fresh crop. The stocks of other kinds of Grain are very small, and the supplies have hitherto been very limited. Of Wheat considerable quantities may be expected in spring, and a good deal of Rye may come from Poland; but it is not likely there will be much of other Grain, or even of Prussian Rye, for exportation, as the crop of it proves to be, on the whole, rather short; and Barley, Oats and Peas have certainly been considerably deficient, which is the more felt, as Potatoes and Hay are much below average crops. The unfavourable result of the crops in Sweden and Norway will no doubt also draw thither part of what there may be to spare of Barley, Oats, Peas and even of Rye, in this country, if aught. It will be seen, before spring shipments can commence, if there be more of these four kinds of Grain, at least of Barley, Oats and Peas, in Prussia than required for home consumption. Many people are of opinion there will be much distress in these parts during winter, which indeed already shows itself in many districts; and if there be a long winter, there may be a very great want of food for cattle, as many farmers have long since been forced to break on their winter stock of Hay, from want of Grass. A late or a wet harvest next year might too, tend to make the deficiency in some kinds of Grain severely felt.

The crop of Wheat, however, has certainly been tolerably abundant, and the quality is very fine in all the country, as far as 20 or 30 miles beyond Warsaw; but in the more distant provinces, from which the chief supplies used to come, there is said to be much sprout, owing to rain at harvest time.

The quality of the fresh Rye is also fine in general; that of Barley and Peas is only partially good; and Oats are, with few exceptions, of very light weight.

There was at one time some apprehension, that government would, in some way obstruct the export of at least Barley, Oats and Peas; but they seem averse to restrictions on the trade, which would diminish supplies from Poland.

I have, &c. &c.

(signed) *Alex^r Gibsone.*

To

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

P. S.—The present Prices of Rye, Barley, Oats, Peas, Potatoes, Hay and Straw, for *home consumption*, are nearly three times what they were in the summer of last year.

TABLE

(Enclosure.)

TABLE FIRST.

EXPORT PRICES OF GRAIN AT DANTZIG, from the Year 1703, in Dantzig, latterly in Prussian Money, with the Prices of Dutch Ducats, and the Exchange on Amsterdam till 1791; afterwards the Exchange on London, in lieu of these two.

REMARKS.

THE Prices are in Dantzig money till 1814, and from that year inclusive in Prussian money Until 1814 the payments were made in Dutch ducats, varying in price until 1773, and afterwards at the fixed price of *f.* 12.

The prices of Wheat, Rye, Barley and Oats have been only obtainable from the year 1703, of Pease only from 1794, and of ducats and the course of exchange on Amsterdam only from 1707; but the price of ducats has been taken at *f.* 8 from 1703 to 1707, being nearly the rate in the latter year.

The prices are those of purchases made for exportation, as quoted by the Corn Brokers, namely, the highest and lowest rates, according to the different qualities of the Grain. When no purchases took place, the preceding quotations either were continued, or none were made, though in such intervals the market prices of the supplies may have varied. Thus, too, no prices are noted in general when the export was obstructed, which was the case at the following periods:

In September 1756, of Rye, Barley, and Oats till April 1757, by prohibition.

In September 1757, of Barley and Oats, by prohibition.

In October 1770, by prohibition of Wheat partially; of Rye, first entirely, and afterwards only partially; of Barley, Oats, and Pease entirely, but afterwards allowed by special permits in 1771 and 1772.

In July 1795, of Rye, Barley, and Oats, by prohibition.

In September 1805, of all Grain by prohibition.

In the summer of 1806, by war with England and Swedish blockade.

In 1807, 1808, 1812, and 1813 entirely; in 1809, 1810, and 1811, partially, but only of Wheat by the French.

The Prices by this Table, may vary from those given in Mr. Jacob's Report, Appendix, N° 24, it not having been practicable to procure them for him so complete as now stated, from a List since fortunately obtained. Those Mr. Jacob got when here, were only the rates when at the highest and at the lowest, hence only four prices in each year; and there even appears to be a mistake, in respect of these, in the German part of that Appendix to his Report, the lowest prices being placed there in the Table of Import and the highest in that of Export; whereas *all* are the *Export* prices, only at two different periods of the year, at each period according to the difference in quality.

It may too be further remarked here, that in the German part of that Appendix, N° 24, in the period from 1650 to 1675, some *prices* are stated by mistake; whereas the figures placed there in the Column of *Prices*, should only be the sheffels or the fractions of a Last more than the stated number of whole Last, adjoining them, as being imported. For instance in that Table are stated as under importation:

WHEAT.	RYE.	BARLEY.
Lasts 18—*f.* 39 Price.	Lasts 2321—*f.* 42 Price.	Lasts 1073—Price *f.* 21, &c.
Instead of Lasts 18—39 Sheffels.	Lasts 2321—42 Sheffels.	Lasts 1073— 21 Sheffels, &c.

(signed) *Alexander Gibsone.*
British Consulate Dantzig,
20th Nov. 1826.

P. S.—I believe I noted the prices of Wheat in 1809, 1810, and 1811, and also the exchanges in Prussian money on a former occasion, from not having the exchanges in Dantzig money; but I have now got those, and therefore the prices are now stated in Dantzig money for those years.

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TABLE FIRST.

YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHITE PEASE.		EXCHANGE on Amsterdam in Groshes, per £. Flemish.		PRICE of the Dutch Ducat.
1703. Jan. 13	f.110	f.215	f.80	f.100	f.60	f.70	f.50	f.55	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Apr. 27	110	215	81	95	70	77	55	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	
June 20	105	200	70	88	65	68	60	63	- -	- -	- -	- -	taken
Sept. 29	135	240	85	105	75	78	60	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	at f.8
Dec. 8	115	280	75	94	65	75	45	50	- -	- -	- -	- -	
1704. Jan. 14	115	280	78	96	65	70	45	50	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Apr. 23	125	260	90	110	65	70	50	60	- -	- -	- -	- -	
July 22	125	260	90	110	60	65	50	54	- -	- -	- -	- -	- - d°
Oct. 25	108	250	75	95	65	70	42	45	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Dec. 31	100	210	70	85	60	62	40	42	- -	- -	- -	- -	
1705. Mar. 20	110	200	70	81	58	65	45	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	
May 26	110	200	67	76	50	60	45	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Aug. 26	125	220	80	95	58	65	45	50	- -	- -	- -	- -	- - d°
Nov. 25	109	200	68	84	65	–	38	40	- -	- -	- -	- -	
1706. Jan. 23	100	200	66	82	65	–	40	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	
May 19	100	190	62	78	55	65	48	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	
June 19	105	195	70	94	55	60	40	42	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Aug. 25	100	200	60	82	55	60	40	42	- -	- -	- -	- -	- - d°
Oct. 23	90	190	60	78	55	62	40	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Dec. 18	100	190	67	78	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	
1707. Apr. 6	100	190	63	80	60	68	60	63					
Aug. 13	110	200	72	85	75	78	66	–					
Oct. 28	95	200	68	80	68	75	40	48	- -	- -	f.279½	f.281	f.8 4
1708. Feb. 11	110	200	80	88	75	80	63	68	- -	- -	280	282½	8 4
June 8	105	190	89	95	75	80	48	50	- -	- -	280½	281½	8 5
July 21	118	210	102	115	78	80	- -	- -	- -	- -	278	279½	8 4
Sept. 22	160	230	122	140	80	85	- -	- -	- -	- -	273½	277	8 3
Nov. 7	175	240	135	150	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	271	272½	8 3
Dec. 3	195	270	155	175	100	105	- -	- -	- -	- -	270½	- -	8 3
1709. Jan. 11	200	270	160	180	100	105	- -	- -	- -	- -	268½	271½	8 2
Apr. 6	215	290	160	174	105	110	- -	- -	- -	- -	266	267½	8 –
May 8	225	320	170	200	115	118	- -	- -	- -	- -	240	264	7 27
— 25	450	550	240	280	140	–	- -	- -	- -	- -			
June 12	350	600	235	290	140	145	- -	- -	- -	- -	240	256	8 –
July 2	300	500	195	250	105	115	68	70	- -	- -	257	260	8 1
Aug. 3	320	500	220	250	120	125	- -	- -	- -	- -	257	260	8 –
Sept. 10	450	500	230	250	135	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	255	253	7 28
Dec. 7	330	500	260	275	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	251	252	7 27
1710. Feb. 1	320	460	250	260	140	145	- -	- -	- -	- -	258½	262½	7 27
Mar. 5	310	460	240	260	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	263	264	7 27
Apr. 19	240	400	200	235	145	155	- -	- -	- -	- -	264	275	7 28
May 20	270	400	220	240	145	150	95	100	- -	- -	274½	276	7 29
June 28	200	310	145	185	115	130	- -	- -	- -	- -	275	277½	8 –
July 29	180	310	150	180	110	120	58	–	- -	- -	274	275	8 –
Aug. 13	180	300	140	175	100	110	70	–	- -	- -	275	276	8 –
Sept. 20	230	360	165	210	110	115	70	80	- -	- -	271	275½	7 28
Oct. 22	210	300	143	170	105	112	- -	- -	- -	- -	272	275	7 28
Nov. 22	200	300	135	165	100	106	- -	- -	- -	- -	274½	276	8 –
1711. Jan. 21	198	300	160	165	98	105	50	55	- -	- -	277½	280	8 –
Apr. 17	205	300	140	160	96	100	68	–	- -	- -	276	279	8 –
June 25	170	270	100	125	70	75	36	42	- -	- -	281	282	8 2
July 11	175	270	95	120	70	75	40	45	- -	- -	280	281	8 2
Sept. 25	170	280	116	133	85	90	54	60	- -	- -	277½	279½	8 3
Nov. 21	160	290	100	120	80	90	48	50	- -	- -	280½	282½	8 2
1712. Feb. 13	140	260	106	120	85	94	50	–	- -	- -	285	- -	8 2
Apr. 20	150	250	95	110	86	90	58	–	- -	- -	282½	285	8 3
May 24	150	240	78	94	75	80	48	50	- -	- -	283	285	8 4
June 22	150	240	85	100	80	82	52	54	- -	- -	282½	284	8 5
July 20	150	240	92	108	82	85	58	60	- -	- -	285	286	8 6
Sept. 6	180	270	105	122	85	90	50	52	- -	- -	280	285	8 5

Table First—*continued.*

YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHITE PEASE.		EXCHANGE on Amsterdam in Groshes, per £. Flemish.		PRICE of the Dutch Ducat.
1712. Oct. 18	f. 160	f. 275	f. 103	f. 114	f. 80	f. 85	f. 48	f. 50	- -	- -	f. 281	f. 282	f. 8 5
Nov. 23	180	280	90	110	78	84	48	50	- -	- -	280 ½	282 ½	8 5
Dec. 28	165	270	92	110	75	80	50	52	- -	- -	283	284 ½	8 2
1713. Feb. 24	170	280	96	115	80	- -	50	52	- -	- -	277 ½	279 ½	8 1
May 24	150	250	100	118	70	72	58	60	- -	- -	270	281 ½	8 2
July 22	140	260	100	115	- -	- -	58	60	- -	- -	270	274	8 -
Aug. 16	160	280	120	140	70	75	58	60	- -	- -	261	272 ½	7 27
Sept. 15	180	290	128	150	85	90	68	-	- -	- -	265	270	8 -
Dec. 22	250	350	148	185	105	- -	60	-	- -	- -	260	267	7 27
1714. Jan. 17	275	350	165	190	105	115	66	-	- -	- -	255	259 ½	7 19
Mar. 10	245	340	140	165	100	130	60	66	- -	- -	259	262 ½	7 19
Apr. 24	250	360	160	185	110	115	60	-	- -	- -	261 ½	262	7 19
June 9	280	400	180	200	105	115	60	-	- -	- -	259 ½	260 ½	7 19
July 27	268	400	170	195	100	105	- -	- -	- -	- -	261	266	7 19
Sept. 15	260	380	145	180	110	115	- -	- -	- -	- -	264	266	7 21
Oct. 17	290	430	195	215	145	150	75	80	- -	- -	265	266	7 21
Nov. 14	290	400	175	200	175	180	120	125	- -	- -	265	270	7 24
Dec. 29	250	380	190	195	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	267 ½	270	7 24
1715. Mar. 16	260	385	185	195	165	175	85	90	- -	- -	263	264	7 21
June 8	- -	- -	140	160	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	259 ½	260 ½	7 19
July 24	- -	- -	140	160	- -	- -	70	-	- -	- -	261	266	7 19
Aug. 16	- -	- -	125	130	130	-	- -	- -	- -	- -	265 ½	266	7 21
Sept. 25	- -	- -	90	100	- -	- -	38	40	- -	- -	264	266	7 20
Oct. 26	160	260	95	115	75	78	48	50	- -	- -	265	266	7 21
Dec. 24	120	250	108	125	65	-	45	-	- -	- -	267 ½	270	7 24
1716. Mar. 21	160	270	115	135	78	80	48	50	- -	- -	279	281 ½	7 29
Sept. 12	150	250	95	125	68	-	48	-	- -	- -	277	280 ½	7 29
1717. Jan. 16	140	260	98	112	76	80	40	42	- -	- -	281	283 ½	8 -
May 5	135	240	88	103	68	70	44	48	- -	- -	284 ½	286 ½	8 -
July 14	148	255	98	115	78	-	48	50	- -	- -	285 ½	288 ½	8 -
Oct. 9	150	260	110	130	72	-	48	-	- -	- -	287 ½	288 ½	8 2
1718. Jan. 12	155	260	123	136	80	-	42	-	- -	- -	285 ½	292	8 2
Feb. 16	185	300	126	140	80	85	50	-	- -	- -	284	285	8 2
Apr. 23	150	280	115	125	80	-	55	-	- -	- -	284	286	8 2
June 21	130	250	98	109	75	-	55	60	- -	- -	283 ½	284 ½	8 2
Dec. 28	130	260	110	120	75	-	50	-	- -	- -	286 ½	287	8 3
1719. Mar. 18	125	250	100	115	75	76	44	48	- -	- -	283 ½	285	8 3
June 1	140	260	126	135	72	75	52	55	- -	- -	275	278	8 -
Sept. 20	150	260	138	145	112	115	60	63	- -	- -	278	279 ½	8 1
Oct. 13	185	280	153	165	150	-	78	80	- -	- -	275	277 ½	7 29
Nov. 18	180	260	150	160	115	120	- -	- -	- -	- -	274	277 ½	7 24
Dec. 30	180	250	145	155	125	130	70	75	- -	- -	277	279	7 27
1720. Mar. 16	155	240	148	155	125	130	70	68	- -	- -	278	279	7 29
May 15	140	230	118	134	125	128	75	80	- -	- -	275	276	7 28
Sept. 6	140	190	118	128	95	-	65	-	- -	- -	280 ½	282	7 29
Nov. 15	135	190	100	125	76	-	46	-	- -	- -	287	289	8 -
1721. Mar. 26	122	180	105	120	76	80	53	55	- -	- -	288 ½	289 ½	7 29
Apr. 18	118	180	85	105	72	76	55	60	- -	- -	284	289	7 28
June 18	115	180	85	100	72	75	50	-	- -	- -	286 ½	287	8 1
Oct. 14	118	185	80	90	72	75	50	55	- -	- -	291 ½	292 ½	8 3
Dec. 31	110	180	80	95	70	75	48	52	- -	- -	291	293	8 3
1722. Mar. 14	125	190	76	98	55	60	40	42	- -	- -	289	291	8 2
May 13	115	190	68	90	60	62	40	42	- -	- -	287	289 ½	8 3
June 27	100	180	63	70	60	62	38	42	- -	- -	288	289 ½	8 3
Aug. 22	130	200	70	90	60	-	38	40	- -	- -	289	291 ½	8 3
Oct. 3	115	160	62	75	50	-	28	30	- -	- -	285 ½	287 ½	8 3
Nov. 25	110	180	67	90	50	54	28	30	- -	- -	286	288 ½	8 3
Dec. 23	110	180	65	80	52	55	30	-	- -	- -	285 ½	289 ½	8 3
1723. Mar. 13	140	190	72	85	50	55	30	32	- -	- -	284 ½	286	8 1
June 12	138	200	78	100	55	60	38	40	- -	- -	267 ½	276 ½	7 29
Sept. 22	135	200	83	100	60	63	50	-	- -	- -	273	279	7 27
Oct. 20	135	200	78	95	63	70	- -	- -	- -	- -	277	279	7 28
Nov. 20	140	200	92	110	66	70	44	48	- -	- -	279	281	8 -
Dec. 24	140	220	100	120	73	75	- -	- -	- -	- -	280	283	8 1

Table First—*continued.*

YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHITE PEASE.		EXCHANGE on Amsterdam in Groshes, per £. Flemish.		PRICE of the Dutch Ducat.	
1724. Feb. 12	f.140	f.220	f.98	f.120	f.72	f.75	f.57	f.60	- -	- -	f.279½	f.281	f. 8	1
Mar. 18	140	210	94	116	68	70	56	58	- -	- -	278 ½	279 ½	8	1
May 13	130	180	72	90	64	66	52	56	- -	- -	275 ½	279	8	2
July 19	140	200	84	108	65	88	58	62	- -	- -	276	279 ½	8	1
Aug. 19	140	210	100	125	72	80	55	60	- -	- -	272 ½	276 ½	7	29
1725. Sept. –	145	240	120	135	75	80	60	- -	- -	- -	276	279	7	29
Oct. 15	155	250	135	150	106	108	68	72	- -	- -	275 ½	277	7	29
Nov. 15	210	250	143	165	110	115	70	75	- -	- -	277	277 ½	8	–
Dec. 31	200	260	140	170	110	120	65	72	- -	- -	277 ½	279	8	–
1726. Feb. 10	190	260	130	150	110	115	65	70	- -	- -	276	277 ½	8	–
Mar. 14	170	240	120	140	108	112	65	70	- -	- -	275 ½	277	8	1
Apr. 28	150	220	126	146	85	95	60	70	- -	- -	273 ½	275	8	–
May 30	140	220	102	120	80	95	60	65	- -	- -	275 ½	276 ½	8	–
June 29	175	290	118	130	85	95	60	65	- -	- -	276	279	8	1
July 24	175	290	108	122	90	110	60	75	- -	- -	279 ½	281	8	1
Aug. 30	170	270	106	136	95	100	55	70	- -	- -	282 ½	287	8	1
Sept. 18	180	280	128	155	- -	- -	60	70	- -	- -	285 ½	287 ½	8	2
Oct. 19	195	300	134	160	130	145	65	70	- -	- -	285 ½	289	8	3
Dec. 31	180	290	132	160	128	140	63	68	- -	- -	291 ½	296	8	4
1727. Mar. 26	170	275	136	156	145	–	90	–	- -	- -	289	291 ½	8	3
June 16	180	275	140	165	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	280 ½	284 ½	8	4
Aug. 30	170	275	135	152	110	115	–	- -	- -	- -	282 ½	286	8	3
Dec. 31	155	250	125	146	112	120	60	70	- -	- -	284 ½	287	8	3
1728. Feb. 13	140	240	120	140	120	–	60	70	- -	- -	283 ½	285 ½	8	1
Apr. 14	140	200	108	124	92	96	60	66	- -	- -	283	284 ½	8	1
June 30	150	240	114	136	- -	- -	60	65	- -	- -	283	286 ½	8	2
Sept. 15	140	215	96	118	68	76	50	55	- -	- -	280	284 ½	8	2
Dec. 31	145	205	96	115	72	80	58	60	- -	- -	283	285	8	1
1729. Mar. 28	145	200	94	113	70	80	55	60	- -	- -	281	284	8	–
Apr. 31	140	210	80	103	68	80	60	70	- -	- -	281	284	8	–
May 27	145	220	96	120	70	80	65	70	- -	- -	278	281 ½	8	1
June 29	140	220	88	115	75	84	80	85	- -	- -	276	279	8	1
Sept. 23	140	220	80	116	68	72	68	65	- -	- -	280	284 ½	8	–
Nov. 22	130	200	68	100	64	65	60	65	- -	- -	282 ½	284	8	–
1730. Feb. 15	130	200	70	96	65	75	60	65	- -	- -	287	288 ½	8	1
Mar. 28	125	190	65	90	65	70	60	65	- -	- -	286	289 ½	8	2
July 29	110	180	64	76	45	55	40	50	- -	- -	290 ½	291 ½	8	4
Oct. 28	110	190	58	90	55	70	- -	- -	- -	- -	290 ½	291 ½	8	4
Dec. 30	110	190	58	85	60	70	42	55	- -	- -	288 ½	290	8	4
1731. Mar. 23	110	200	60	90	50	65	- -	- -	- -	- -	290	291 ½	8	4
June 8	110	220	95	125	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	286	289 ½	8	5
Aug. 31	120	200	82	112	- -	- -	50	- -	- -	- -	288	290	8	5
Nov. 15	115	210	90	120	60	70	- -	- -	- -	- -	288 ½	290	8	4
1732. Mar. 8	115	210	88	110	65	75	50	65	- -	- -	291	291 ½	8	4
Apr. 30	110	200	73	90	60	68	50	53	- -	- -	289	292	8	4
July 16	105	180	64	85	60	65	42	48	- -	- -	289	290	8	5
Sept. 19	110	190	65	90	60	65	30	45	- -	- -	288	290 ½	8	5
Dec. 30	110	190	64	90	55	60	40	42	- -	- -	287	288 ½	8	3
1733. Mar. 21	100	180	62	85	55	60	36	50	- -	- -	283	289 ½	8	2
June 5	100	190	65	88	54	60	38	42	- -	- -	280	284	8	2
Aug. 28	105	200	75	100	58	60	42	48	- -	- -	285	286 ½	8	4
Nov. 13	115	210	85	105	70	72	45	48	- -	- -	274 ½	280	8	2
1734. Jan. 13	110	210	88	112	68	72	48	50	- -	- -	281	285	8	2
Feb. 19	118	215	100	120	68	72	55	60	- -	- -	282	285	8	3
Mar. 20	120	220	103	125	72	78	54	60	- -	- -	286	–	8	5
Aug. 7	125	220	105	122	70	75	55	65	- -	- -	279	283	8	1
Sept. 15	140	240	108	130	75	78	62	66	- -	- -	280 ½	281	8	–
Oct. 23	140	240	100	124	75	80	65	70	- -	- -	279	281	7	29
Dec. 24	150	245	106	128	95	100	68	75	- -	- -	278	283 ½	8	–
1735. Apr. 1	140	230	100	120	70	–	- -	- -	- -	- -	278	285	8	1
June 25	135	220	85	100	70	72	52	60	- -	- -	283 ½	285	8	4
Aug. 19	135	220	95	120	68	72	54	60	- -	- -	286	288	8	5
Nov. 12	145	240	102	124	100	108	70	75	- -	- -	288	291	8	4

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1736. Feb. 8	f.145	f.230	f.104	f.112	f. 95	f. 98	f. - -	f. - -	- - - -		f.289	f.293½	f. 8 3
May 26	130	210	102	118	105	115	80	85	- - - -		290½	296	8 6
July 3	140	230	113	126	110	120	60	75	- - - -		291½	292½	8 7
Aug. 18	160	270	130	143	115	120	78	85	- - - -		291	293	8 6
Sept. 21	180	270	165	180	115	130	70	75	- - - -		289½	291½	8 6
Oct. 10	210	270	190	210	130	145	68	75	- - - -		290½	293	8 5
Dec. 21	205	265	178	195	158	165	90	100	- - - -		293½	294	8 5
1737. Feb. 23	195	265	188	206	150	160	100	116	- - - -		292½	293½	8 5
Mar. 23	190	260	175	186	140	160	80	86	- - - -		294½	295½	8 6
May 15	180	260	160	180	104	125	60	80	- - - -		291	294	8 6
June 25	180	260	156	170	115	123	60	78	- - - -		291½	293½	8 6
July 19	170	250	140	155	120	130	65	80	- - - -		291½	292½	8 6
Aug. 23	160	250	120	130	85	97	50	70	- - - -		290½	292½	8 7
Sept. 28	180	270	140	152	85	95	62	80	- - - -		290½	292	8 7
Oct. 23	180	270	140	160	90	98	66	78	- - - -		288	290½	8 6
Nov. 25	180	270	170	193	90	110	60	75	- - - -		289	290½	8 6
Dec. 31	180	270	162	190	90	110	62	75	- - - -		292	292½	8 5
1738. Feb. 12	160	250	125	155	80	95	58	65	- - - -		293½	294	8 5
Mar. 13	155	240	120	145	85	100	58	65	- - - -		293½	295	8 5
Apr. 12	150	240	108	134	65	80	42	54	- - - -		291½	293½	8 6
May 23	150	250	103	122	70	85	50	60	- - - -		290	291½	8 5
June 18	150	250	98	114	68	80	50	56	- - - -		290½	291½	8 5
July 15	150	240	94	112	60	70	45	52	- - - -		290½	292½	8 5
Aug. 11	150	240	95	112	65	75	45	54	- - - -		292	293½	8 5
Sept. 12	150	240	95	112	70	80	45	54	- - - -		290	292	8 5
Oct. 14	140	240	96	120	66	78	40	50	- - - -		289	291½	8 5
Nov. 29	125	230	90	110	70	80	40	50	- - - -		289	291	8 5
Dec. 24	120	225	92	110	70	80	40	55	- - - -		289½	291½	8 3
1739. Jan. 20	115	220	88	106	70	80	45	55	- - - -		290½	291½	8 4
Feb. 24	115	215	90	108	70	80	40	50	- - - -		290½	291	8 4
Apr. 14	105	210	76	95	60	58	38	45	- - - -		289	291	8 5
May 26	112	220	88	110	65	70	40	48	- - - -		284	287	8 6
July 14	137	215	90	118	70	75	45	52	- - - -		287½	288½	8 3
Aug. 11	140	220	94	120	73	80	54	60	- - - -		288	288½	8 3
Sept. 15	150	225	102	122	75	85	50	60	- - - -		286	288½	8 4
Oct. 12	150	220	98	118	85	100	60	63	- - - -		282½	286½	8 4
Nov. 13	165	240	130	155	105	115	60	70	- - - -		282	285	8 3
Dec. 22	155	230	112	134	100	110	65	72	- - - -		285	286½	8 3
1740. Feb. 3	160	240	118	136	100	105	60	66	- - - -		287	288½	8 3
Mar. 8	165	250	130	150	105	115	63	70	- - - -		286	287½	8 3
Apr. 9	160	260	112	130	100	104	63	70	- - - -		285½	287	8 4
May 17	180	310	128	145	110	115	60	70	- - - -		271½	284½	8 4
June 24	260	350	200	210	140	150	95	105	- - - -		273	278	8 3
July 5	260	320	200	210	140	150	85	95	- - - -		276	286	8 5
Aug. 30	270	315	175	195	110	130	70	80	- - - -		284½	287½	8 4
Sept. 20	300	430	175	205	110	125	65	75	- - - -		282	285	8 4
Oct. 18	360	450	195	215	- -	- -	75	85	- - - -		282½	284½	8 2
Nov. 22	360	425	215	230	150	170	85	95	- - - -		284½	285½	8 2
Dec. 30	370	430	220	250	140	160	90	100	- - - -		286½	287½	8 2
1741. Jan. 13	380	450	255	270	160	180	95	100	- - - -		284½	287½	8 2
Feb. 25	380	450	255	270	170	180	105	115	- - - -		286	287	8 3
Mar. 21	310	430	235	255	180	200	105	120	- - - -		287	290	8 2
Apr. 15	285	440	220	240	155	165	110	120	- - - -		289½	290½	8 3
May 17	240	400	165	190	150	155	100	115	- - - -		288	291	8 4
June 16	215	320	165	188	140	160	115	130	- - - -		292	295½	8 4
July 15	240	350	178	210	150	175	130	140	- - - -		293½	295	8 4
Aug. 19	240	350	160	195	110	140	105	120	- - - -		288½	295	8 4
Sept. 15	280	370	180	200	120	140	90	100	- - - -		288	295	8 3
Oct. 20	260	320	165	195	115	130	75	85	- - - -		291	289	8 4
Nov. 18	190	320	158	190	110	120	- -	- -	- - - -		290	291	8 4
Dec. 22	170	320	152	188	110	120	- -	- -	- - - -		291	295	8 5
1742. Jan. 17	160	300	150	185	95	105	70	75	- - - -		293½	295	8 5
Feb. 23	160	290	138	168	100	120	71	80	- - - -		294½	296	8 5
Mar. 24	160	290	144	170	100	115	65	75	- - - -		293½	294½	8 4
Apr. 18	160	280	135	150	95	110	60	70	- - - -		292	294	8 6
May 17	150	240	120	135	88	100	60	75	- - - -		289	294	8 7
June 13	180	230	125	140	90	105	60	75	- - - -		294	294½	8 6
July 14	180	230	126	140	98	105	60	65	- - - -		293½	295	8 5
Aug. 15	180	230	120	138	80	90	55	60	- - - -		291	294	8 6

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1742. Sept. 22	f. 170	f. 210	f. 100	f. 123	f. 70	f. 80	f. 50	f. 55	- -	- -	f. 290½	f. 293½	f. 8	5
Oct. 17	160	210	95	116	70	80	48	50	- -	- -	291½	293½	8	5
Nov. 17	130	230	95	120	70	80	50	55	- -	- -	291⅓	292	8	5
Dec. 19	125	220	90	115	72	75	40	45	- -	- -	292½	295	8	5
1743. Feb. 2	140	200	98	124	70	75	45	50	- -	- -	294½	295½	8	4
Mar. 27	135	200	95	116	80	82	50	52	- -	- -	294	295½	8	5
May 29	130	220	90	106	75	78	42	48	- -	- -	291½	294½	8	5
June 25	140	220	95	110	72	78	42	46	- -	- -	292½	294½	8	5
July 20	130	220	90	110	68	74	40	44	- -	- -	293	294	8	5
Aug. 20	130	220	85	104	65	74	40	44	- -	- -	294	294½	8	6
Sept. 27	120	180	78	95	58	65	40	42	- -	- -	293	294	8	4
Oct. 23	125	180	78	95	70	72	40	42	- -	- -	292	293	8	3
Nov. 23	120	180	80	88	62	65	40	42	- -	- -	292	294½	8	3
Dec. 27	120	200	82	90	63	66	40	42	- -	- -	293½	294½	8	3
1744. Jan. 25	125	190	82	90	62	64	40	42	- -	- -	249½	295½	8	3
Mar. 28	130	190	86	95	66	70	50	53	- -	- -	294½	295	8	4
Apr. 23	130	200	82	90	65	70	46	48	- -	- -	290	295	8	5
May 13	130	200	82	93	63	66	48	50	- -	- -	288	290½	8	6
June 16	140	200	78	90	60	65	45	50	- -	- -	288½	290½	8	5
July 21	140	200	78	92	58	54	57	50	- -	- -	291	293½	8	5
Aug. 22	140	200	83	95	65	70	50	56	- -	- -	292½	293⅓	8	5
Sept. 19	150	200	90	104	80	85	70	75	- -	- -	292½	294	8	4
Oct. 24	150	195	88	90	70	80	55	65	- -	- -	292	294	8	4
Nov. 21	150	190	86	96	70	80	55	65	- -	- -	291½	293½	8	3
Dec. 23	150	200	92	103	75	85	58	64	- -	- -	292½	295½	8	4
1745. Feb. 24	145	205	95	106	80	83	66	72	- -	- -	293⅓	294⅓	8	4
Apr. 24	150	205	90	100	78	84	68	72	- -	- -	293⅓	294⅓	8	5
June 23	165	220	90	110	78	80	76	78	- -	- -	290⅓	293⅓	8	5
July 23	170	230	108	120	78	80	74	76	- -	- -	292	292½	8	5
Sept. 24	170	200	114	132	78	80	78	80	- -	- -	293⅓	294⅓	8	5
Oct. 16	185	230	135	150	90	100	90	100	- -	- -	293⅓	294	8	5
Nov. 19	210	280	170	195	110	130	95	110	- -	- -	293½	294	8	5
Dec. 29	210	280	160	180	115	125	90	110	- -	- -	294	295½	8	6
1746. Jan. 21	190	260	142	165	112	120	90	110	- -	- -	294½	296	8	6
Feb. 23	190	260	142	158	110	120	90	110	- -	- -	295½	296	8	5
Apr. 27	205	270	152	165	112	120	90	110	- -	- -	293½	296	8	5
June 22	200	260	140	152	112	120	65	80	- -	- -	290	293	8	6
July 29	190	250	130	142	125	–	55	65	- -	- -	291	293	8	5
Aug. 19	190	250	126	136	- -	- -	65	75	- -	- -	291½	293	8	5
Sept. 21	180	245	122	135	110	115	65	80	- -	- -	292	293	8	6
Oct. 22	210	270	155	170	135	140	75	95	- -	- -	290	292½	8	5
Nov. 30	220	275	165	175	140	150	85	100	- -	- -	291	292½	8	5
Dec. 31	215	270	160	170	140	150	80	90	- -	- -	293½	294½	8	5
1747. Jan. 21	210	260	158	168	140	145	75	85	- -	- -	293	294½	8	5
Feb. 22	220	285	167	180	140	145	75	85	- -	- -	292	293½	8	5
Mar. 22	215	285	165	176	135	145	75	85	- -	- -	291½	293	8	5
Apr. 26	200	275	145	163	120	130	70	80	- -	- -	287⅝	292½	8	5
May 20	190	255	143	158	110	125	75	85	- -	- -	286	287½	8	5
June 24	185	255	150	170	100	110	70	80	- -	- -	285½	288	8	6
July 26	185	255	148	170	92	100	75	80	- -	- -	287	290	8	6
Aug. 16	180	250	137	155	75	80	70	75	- -	- -	288½	290½	8	5
Sept. 27	175	245	135	150	70	75	60	65	- -	- -	289½	290½	8	4
Oct. 20	150	240	125	140	78	82	50	56	- -	- -	287½	289	8	4
Nov. 29	160	240	128	145	82	86	54	58	- -	- -	285	290½	8	3
Dec. 20	160	240	138	150	85	90	54	58	- -	- -	292	294	8	3
1748. Jan. 13	165	240	140	155	85	90	54	58	- -	- -	292	296	8	3
Mar. 2	160	235	125	140	80	85	56	58	- -	- -	289	292½	8	4
Apr. 17	160	225	125	140	85	90	56	60	- -	- -	286½	290	8	5
May 15	130	210	108	122	80	85	58	60	- -	- -	283	287	8	6
June 19	130	200	100	116	75	80	55	60	- -	- -	284	286	8	5
July 24	140	205	110	120	90	95	78	85	- -	- -	285	288	8	5
Aug. 31	150	210	120	126	100	105	72	78	- -	- -	288	289½	8	5
Sept. 21	170	220	126	136	115	120	86	88	- -	- -	285	287½	8	4
Oct. 30	150	250	132	140	120	123	83	86	- -	- -	283	285	8	4
Nov. 12	175	240	116	128	100	106	80	84	- -	- -	285½	289½	8	2
Dec. 24	185	230	126	138	118	120	78	82	- -	- -	288	290	8	3
1749. Jan. 21	180	245	126	138	110	115	78	82	- -	- -	288½	290½	8	3
Feb. 25	175	240	126	136	112	116	78	84	- -	- -	288	289½	8	3

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1749. Mar. 22	f.170	f.240	f.124	f.130	f.113	f.116	f.84	f.86	- -	- -	f.286½	f.288	f. 8	4
Apr. 23	165	235	116	122	100	105	78	80	- -	- -	283½	287½	8	4
May 14	160	215	95	105	92	100	75	77	- -	- -	282	285	8	4
June 11	160	215	102	110	85	90	70	75	- -	- -	284	287½	8	4
July 2	190	235	118	125	95	105	70	73	- -	- -	286	287	8	4
Aug. 6	145	205	115	125	85	95	75	80	- -	- -	286½	289	8	3
Sept. 13	230	265	122	130	75	80	60	63	- -	- -	286	288	8	2
Oct. 15	190	250	108	114	75	80	50	56	- -	- -	285	287½	8	–
Nov. 22	185	240	110	115	75	80	50	56	- -	- -	286½	290½	8	1
Dec. 20	175	235	110	115	72	76	50	54	- -	- -	289½	294	8	2
1750. Jan. 14	170	235	120	115	75	80	50	54	- -	- -	291½	–	8	3
Feb. 21	160	230	104	109	65	75	54	58	- -	- -	292	–	8	3
Mar. 21	150	225	95	100	65	68	50	52	- -	- -	289	–	8	3
Apr. 1	150	225	91	96	65	68	50	52	- -	- -	288½	–	8	2
May 16	165	225	95	100	65	75	50	52	- -	- -	290½	–	8	4
June 13	175	230	97	105	65	75	50	52	- -	- -	291	–	8	4
July 22	170	225	95	100	65	70	50	52	- -	- -	294	–	8	6
Aug. 22	160	215	85	92	63	68	50	52	- -	- -	295	–	8	5
Sept. 19	160	212	82	88	63	68	48	50	- -	- -	296	–	8	4
Oct. 24	150	205	78	84	62	68	48	50	- -	- -	296½	–	8	4
Nov. 21	145	205	78	82	62	68	48	50	- -	- -	298½	–	8	5
Dec. 21	145	205	78	82	62	68	44	48	- -	- -	299	–	8	6
1751. Jan. 13	145	200	80	87	60	68	45	46	- -	- -	297½	–	8	5
Feb. 17	140	200	78	85	64	68	42	46	- -	- -	299½	–	8	5
Mar. 27	140	195	77	81	66	68	46	50	- -	- -	295	–	8	6
Apr. 17	140	190	75	82	66	68	50	54	- -	- -	293½	–	8	7
May 26	150	210	88	95	70	72	50	52	- -	- -	293	–	8	7
July 17	160	210	100	108	80	85	62	–	- -	- -	299	–	8	13
Aug. 7	145	205	94	104	82	84	64	66	- -	- -	300	–	8	13
Sept. 4	175	220	117	123	80	82	62	64	- -	- -	298	–	8	10
— 24	195	240	115	122	84	85	64	66	- -	- -	298½	–	8	8
Oct. 23	200	240	115	125	80	84	68	70	- -	- -	300	–	8	9
Nov. 13	200	240	115	124	98	100	68	72	- -	- -	301	–	8	10
Dec. 15	210	245	120	130	105	110	70	72	- -	- -	307½	–	8	9
1752. Jan. 5	197	250	122	128	94	98	70	75	- -	- -	306	–	8	9
— 17	160	250	110	116	95	100	60	75	- -	- -	304	–	8	10
Feb. 9	197	240	126	136	94	98	68	70	- -	- -	301	–	8	13
Mar. 11	210	250	120	128	96	98	68	70	- -	- -	300	–	8	13
Apr. 19	180	220	98	112	82	85	66	70	- -	- -	296	–	8	12
May 27	210	240	115	130	86	90	70	72	- -	- -	302½	–	8	14
June 28	185	235	112	124	75	82	58	62	- -	- -	300	–	8	15
July 3	180	230	110	122	75	82	58	62	- -	- -	299	–	8	15
Aug. 19	175	240	112	126	75	82	56	62	- -	- -	302½	–	8	12
Sept. 9	180	245	118	126	75	82	55	60	- -	- -	301½	–	8	12
Oct. 11	180	245	112	120	80	90	60	70	- -	- -	302	–	8	14
Nov. 8	170	240	105	115	85	105	68	75	- -	- -	304	–	8	15
— 11	165	235	106	115	90	105	68	75	- -	- -	306	–	8	16
Dec. 30	160	230	108	115	90	96	58	73	- -	- -	308½	–	8	18
1753. Jan. 31	165	235	110	116	90	100	63	75	- -	- -	308¾	–	8	17
Feb. 17	165	235	112	120	95	105	70	78	- -	- -	309½	–	8	18
Mar. 14	170	240	106	118	98	105	73	76	- -	- -	309	–	8	17
Apr. 21	165	230	90	112	85	95	68	72	- -	- -	309½	–	8	18
May 26	180	230	93	115	90	98	70	78	- -	- -	310½	–	8	20
June 30	200	260	100	118	95	105	80	90	- -	- -	311	–	8	19
July 21	200	255	98	118	95	105	85	90	- -	- -	312½	–	8	19
Aug. 1	190	250	96	114	100	110	85	90	- -	- -	312	–	8	19
Sept. 8	175	235	105	112	95	100	80	90	- -	- -	312½	–	8	20
Oct. 13	185	240	105	116	90	100	60	70	- -	- -	315	–	8	20
Nov. 17	165	240	88	108	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	315	–	8	24
Dec. 21	160	235	90	108	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	318	–	8	24
1754. Jan. 31	165	235	94	112	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	315½	–	8	25
Feb. 16	160	235	92	110	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	315	–	8	25
Mar. 30	165	240	98	112	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	312	–	8	28
Apr. 3	170	240	100	120	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	312	–	8	27
May 11	155	210	85	105	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	311½	–	9	–
June 26	155	215	98	112	90	95	68	75	- -	- -	314	–	8	23
July 31	155	215	100	115	85	90	65	70	- -	- -	311	–	8	23
Aug. 7	155	215	102	116	85	90	65	70	- -	- -	310½	–	8	21
Sept. 21	150	210	95	112	85	90	65	70	- -	- -	312½	–	8	18
Oct. 19	150	210	100	115	85	90	60	62	- -	- -	310	–	8	16

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1754. Nov. 20	f.150	f.205	f.110	f.122	f. 85	f. 90	f. 65	f. 70	- -	- -	f.310½ –	f. 8 17
Dec. 21	150	205	110	122	85	90	60	65	- -	- -	314 –	8 21
1755. Jan. 15	150	210	115	125	80	90	62	65	- -	- -	313 –	8 22
Feb. 15	150	210	116	126	80	85	60	65	- -	- -	314 –	8 21
Mar. 8	160	215	120	135	90	95	60	65	- -	- -	312½ –	8 21
Apr. 12	140	205	112	122	80	90	60	65	- -	- -	310½ –	8 24
May 10	135	205	105	118	80	90	60	65	- -	- -	309½ –	8 26
June 18	135	205	106	122	80	90	65	72	- -	- -	309½ –	8 23
July 12	145	200	100	112	80	90	60	65	- -	- -	312 –	8 19
Aug. 9	135	210	112	125	80	90	65	70	- -	- -	310 –	8 19
— 20	145	215	118	130	90	95	70	75	- -	- -	311½ –	8 19
Sept. 13	155	215	120	127	95	98	80	85	- -	- -	312 –	8 19
Oct. 4	155	230	130	145	- -	- -	78	85	- -	- -	311½ –	8 20
Nov. 12	150	230	126	140	100	110	80	85	- -	- -	316 –	8 22
Dec. 20	145	220	132	142	100	110	90	95	- -	- -	319 –	8 24
1756. Jan. 14	145	220	135	145	115	120	90	95	- -	- -	317½ –	8 26
Feb. 18	150	220	140	150	115	120	90	96	- -	- -	318 –	8 26
Mar. 20	145	220	138	145	115	120	85	90	- -	- -	317 –	8 27
Apr. 14	142	220	134	140	115	120	85	90	- -	- -	314 –	8 26
May 26	155	230	155	165	115	120	85	96	- -	- -	314 –	8 26
June 16	170	260	186	195	140	150	96	110	- -	- -	314½ –	9 6
July 14	170	250	180	186	145	155	115	120	- -	- -	315½ –	8 26
Aug. 18	165	245	154	165	120	130	110	120	- -	- -	316½ –	8 26
Sept. 15	175	250	195	205	160	170	100	110	- -	- -	317 –	8 27
Oct. 16	280	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	316 –	8 28
Nov. 17	270	360	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	319½ –	8 29
Dec. 29	320	390	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	320½ –	8 29
1757. Jan. 15	330	390	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	320½ –	8 29
Feb. 12	310	380	285	290	175	185	125	135	- -	- -	319 –	9 –
Mar. 19	300	390	265	285	170	180	120	135	- -	- -	318½ –	9 1
Apr. 16	240	340	250	260	150	160	120	135	- -	- -	317½ –	9 2
May 21	260	370	260	275	190	200	140	150	- -	- -	307 –	9 –
June 15	270	370	250	270	190	200	148	152	- -	- -	307½ –	9 4
July 16	250	370	235	280	170	180	- -	- -	- -	- -	307 –	8 29
Aug. 20	240	340	210	235	130	140	100	130	- -	- -	316½ –	8 24
Sept. 7	210	310	185	210	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	315 –	8 24
Oct. 12	250	340	220	230	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	313 –	8 23
Nov. 16	250	350	225	235	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	314 –	8 22
Dec. 17	250	350	215	225	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	316 –	8 22
1758. Jan. 14	250	350	215	225	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	314½ –	8 23
Feb. 11	250	350	232	236	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	313½ –	8 24
Mar. 15	250	350	227	230	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	313 –	8 24
Apr. 15	250	340	218	224	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	312½ –	8 25
May 17	240	330	218	224	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	309½ –	8 24
June 14	240	330	212	215	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	312½ –	8 23
July 15	230	330	190	196	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	315½ –	8 23
Aug. 5	220	310	176	185	160	170	100	115	- -	- -	317½ –	8 25
Sept. 13	220	330	182	195	145	160	110	130	- -	- -	319½ –	8 25
Oct. 15	230	330	180	190	150	160	115	125	- -	- -	320 –	8 24
Nov. 18	250	330	185	200	150	160	100	110	- -	- -	324½ –	8 25
Dec. 20	250	330	185	195	150	160	100	110	- -	- -	327 –	9 –
1759. Jan. 10	250	330	188	195	150	160	105	110	- -	- -	326½ –	9
Feb. 21	230	330	175	185	140	150	100	110	- -	- -	329 –	8 29
Mar. 21	230	330	168	185	135	145	103	110	- -	- -	332 –	9 2
Apr. 21	190	280	135	150	100	115	95	105	- -	- -	339½ –	9 10
May 9	180	270	120	130	100	115	85	95	- -	- -	354 –	9 20
June 20	180	270	115	125	90	95	80	85	- -	- -	352 –	9 21
July 21	190	270	116	128	90	95	80	85	- -	- -	354½ –	9 21
Aug. 15	200	280	118	128	90	100	80	85	- -	- -	357 –	9 22
Sept. 15	220	315	135	145	110	115	80	90	- -	- -	351 –	9 20
Oct. 17	220	310	130	145	115	120	85	90	- -	- -	357 –	9 21
Nov. 17	190	300	122	135	110	130	85	90	- -	- -	357 –	9 27
Dec. 19	190	300	122	132	120	140	85	90	- -	- -	361 –	10 3
1760. Jan. 16	190	300	122	132	115	130	90	95	- -	- -	359 –	10 3
Feb. 16	190	300	125	135	120	150	90	95	- -	- -	365½ –	10 2
Mar. 15	180	290	122	132	120	150	90	100	- -	- -	370 –	10 2
Apr. 19	170	270	112	122	130	140	95	100	- -	- -	367 –	10 10
May 14	140	230	95	110	115	125	90	95	- -	- -	371 –	11 6
June 18	150	250	115	125	100	110	90	95	- -	- -	398½ –	11 2

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1760. July 19	f.160	f.260	f.120	f.130	f.110	f.115	f.100	f.110	- -	- -	f.416 -	f. 11 9
Aug. 13	180	280	130	138	130	140	95	100	- -	- -	407 -	11 8
Sept. 17	210	290	138	148	140	150	95	100	- -	- -	398 -	11 9
Oct. 18	210	300	137	146	170	180	95	100	- -	- -	396 -	11 8
Nov. 15	200	290	132	142	180	190	105	110	- -	- -	381 -	11 8
Dec. 10	210	310	145	155	180	190	- -	- -	- -	- -	391 -	11 12
1761. Jan. 14	210	310	145	155	170	175	- -	- -	- -	- -	395 -	11 16
Feb. 18	210	310	148	160	170	180	- -	- -	- -	- -	391 -	11 5
Mar. 14	190	290	150	160	170	180	- -	- -	- -	- -	386 -	11 6
Apr. 15	190	290	136	146	160	170	- -	- -	- -	- -	373 ½ -	11 5
May 13	190	290	140	150	145	155	- -	- -	- -	- -	399 -	11 7
June 13	190	290	140	150	130	145	115	120	- -	- -	396 -	11 8
July 15	190	290	140	150	140	150	115	120	- -	- -	398 ½ -	11 9
Aug. 15	190	300	145	155	140	150	125	135	- -	- -	397 -	11 14
Sept. 16	210	290	136	146	130	140	115	125	- -	- -	399 -	11 18
Oct. 14	180	290	142	152	- -	- -	118	125	- -	- -	399 ½ -	11 12
Nov. 14	200	290	150	160	- -	- -	110	120	- -	- -	399 -	11 13
Dec. 30	220	310	165	175	- -	- -	120	125	- -	- -	399 -	11 12
1762. Jan. 13	220	320	200	210	- -	- -	123	130	- -	- -	396 ½ -	11 12
Feb. 17	220	310	190	200	- -	- -	124	130	- -	- -	397 -	11 11
Mar. 20	210	320	190	200	- -	- -	124	130	- -	- -	392 ½ -	11 11
Apr. 21	210	310	185	195	- -	- -	124	130	- -	- -	379 -	11 5
May 19	200	280	197	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	376 -	11 2
June 16	240	300	250	255	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	375 ½ -	10 24
July 21	250	320	235	240	- -	- -	160	170	- -	- -	372 -	10 26
Aug. 14	230	300	210	218	- -	- -	160	170	- -	- -	371 ½ -	10 24
Sept. 18	240	330	225	230	- -	- -	125	130	- -	- -	373 ½ -	10 26
Oct. 16	240	310	208	215	190	200	110	115	- -	- -	379 -	10 23
Nov. 13	240	310	222	226	190	200	115	120	- -	- -	377 ½ -	10 24
Dec. 15	240	310	224	228	190	200	100	110	- -	- -	384 ½ -	10 25
1763. Jan. 12	240	310	226	232	190	200	100	110	- -	- -	376 -	10 25
Feb. 16	240	310	220	225	190	200	100	105	- -	- -	374 ½ -	10 23
Mar. 19	230	310	195	200	190	200	110	115	- -	- -	378 ½ -	10 22
Apr. 20	220	300	155	160	140	160	105	110	- -	- -	377 -	10 23
May 11	200	280	148	153	140	150	80	90	- -	- -	375 -	10 20
June 11	200	280	145	150	125	135	80	90	- -	- -	376 ½ -	10 29
July 6	230	310	165	170	115	130	70	80	- -	- -	375 -	10 27
Aug. 13	220	300	153	160	115	130	70	80	- -	- -	374 ½ -	10 26
Sept. 14	220	300	155	160	120	130	70	80	- -	- -	377 -	10 26
Oct. 15	220	320	155	160	120	130	60	70	- -	- -	376 ½ -	10 25
Nov. 9	240	320	156	170	120	130	60	70	- -	- -	375 ½ -	10 25
Dec. 21	240	330	153	170	120	130	60	70	- -	- -	378 -	10 25
1764. Jan. 11	240	330	150	170	110	120	70	75	- -	- -	377 ½ -	10 26
Feb. 11	240	330	145	165	90	100	65	70	- -	- -	379 -	10 28
Mar. 14	240	330	150	170	100	110	60	70	- -	- -	380 -	11 -
Apr. 14	240	330	135	155	100	110	65	75	- -	- -	376 -	10 29
May 16	220	310	125	140	90	100	70	80	- -	- -	378 -	11 9
June 13	220	310	135	145	90	100	75	85	- -	- -	384 -	11 11
July 18	220	320	138	150	110	120	85	90	- -	- -	383 ½ -	11 9
Aug. 11	220	320	135	155	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	381 ½ -	10 28
Sept. 15	230	330	155	170	- -	- -	70	80	- -	- -	385 -	11 3
Oct. 13	230	330	155	170	- -	- -	80	90	- -	- -	383 -	11 3
Nov. 14	230	330	150	162	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	388 ½ -	11 8
Dec. 22	230	330	150	165	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	401 -	11 14
1765. Jan. 12	230	330	150	165	125	130	80	90	- -	- -	400 -	11 15
Feb. 13	230	340	150	165	130	140	95	100	- -	- -	399 -	11 11
Mar. 9	240	360	156	170	130	140	110	120	- -	- -	399 -	11 12
Apr. 17	230	340	148	155	138	145	110	120	- -	- -	395 ½ -	11 14
May 11	230	340	165	175	140	145	130	-	- -	- -	393 -	11 17
June 12	260	380	205	210	150	155	130	-	- -	- -	400 -	11 20
July 10	260	380	230	235	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	397 ½ -	11 20
Aug. 14	260	400	215	225	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	403 -	11 21
Sept. 14	310	440	225	235	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	402 -	11 17
Oct. 16	310	440	220	230	- -	- -	125	130	- -	- -	399 -	11 16
Nov. 13	310	440	225	235	180	190	125	130	- -	- -	400 -	11 16
Dec. 14	310	440	235	240	180	190	125	130	- -	- -	405 -	11 15
1766. Jan. 15	310	440	230	240	180	190	125	130	- -	- -	409 -	11 18
Feb. 15	280	438	230	240	190	200	130	135	- -	- -	410 -	11 18
Mar. 12	280	430	235	250	190	200	130	135	- -	- -	411 ½ -	11 19

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1766. Apr. 16	f.260	f.400	f.220	f.230	f.180	f.185	f.135	f.140	- -	- -	f.415½	-	f. 12	3
May 14	250	400	198	205	150	160	135	140	- -	- -	409	-	11	18
June 14	250	380	190	200	140	160	130	140	- -	- -	418	-	11	29
July 14	240	380	170	190	130	150	120	130	- -	- -	425	-	12	2
Aug. 16	260	400	178	195	120	140	115	130	- -	- -	420	-	12	2
Sept. 13	300	430	200	215	130	160	120	130	- -	- -	407	-	11	24
Oct. 11	300	440	205	220	140	160	120	130	- -	- -	401	-	11	15
Nov. 15	300	450	205	215	150	170	100	110	- -	- -	400	-	11	15
Dec. 17	300	450	205	215	150	170	100	110	- -	- -	400	-	11	15
1767. Jan. 14	300	450	205	215	150	170	105	110	- -	- -	400	-	11	15
Feb. 14	300	450	210	220	150	170	110	115	- -	- -	400	-	11	15
Mar. 18	300	450	205	215	150	170	120	125	- -	- -	400	-	11	15
Apr. 15	300	430	190	205	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	431	-	12	12
May 9	300	470	195	205	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	442	-	12	21
June 10	300	470	215	230	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	451½	-	13	6
July 11	330	500	215	230	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	450	-	13	3
Aug. 12	330	500	215	225	160	185	125	140	- -	- -	454	-	11	29
Sept. 12	330	500	210	225	180	185	125	140	- -	- -	443	-	12	15
Oct. 14	330	460	200	218	180	185	120	130	- -	- -	446	-	12	14
Nov. 11	310	440	180	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	441	-	12	11
Dec. 16	320	440	185	200	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	450	-	12	11
1768. Jan. 16	320	440	190	200	170	180	120	130	- -	- -	443	-	12	11
Feb. 17	320	440	190	200	170	180	110	120	- -	- -	437	-	12	8
Mar. 16	320	440	190	200	180	190	125	130	- -	- -	433	-	12	9
Apr. 16	320	440	190	200	180	190	125	130	- -	- -	421	-	12	8
May 14	370	530	200	210	170	185	140	145	- -	- -	421	-	12	15
June 15	370	530	200	210	170	190	150	160	- -	- -	419	-	12	9
July 16	420	530	185	205	170	175	150	160	- -	- -	418	-	12	6
Aug. 17	420	530	195	215	160	175	140	150	- -	- -	418	-	12	2
Sept. 17	420	530	200	220	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	416	-	11	25
Oct. 15	420	530	210	220	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	412	-	11	21
Nov. 16	420	530	205	220	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	408	-	11	26
Dec. 14	400	530	210	220	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	422	-	11	24
1769. Jan. 18	400	530	215	220	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	415	-	11	26
Feb. 15	400	530	215	230	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	419	-	11	24
Mar. 18	400	500	215	225	150	170	115	130	- -	- -	410	-	11	23
Apr. 15	400	500	218	225	140	160	115	130	- -	- -	405	-	11	23
May 13	320	450	210	220	140	160	115	120	- -	- -	411	-	11	26
June 10	320	450	205	220	130	140	110	120	- -	- -	418	-	11	27
July 12	320	450	200	220	130	160	110	120	- -	- -	419	-	11	26
Aug. 12	320	440	195	220	130	160	110	120	- -	- -	419	-	11	26
Sept. 16	300	420	200	215	120	130	100	120	- -	- -	414	-	11	22
Oct. 14	300	420	200	220	120	130	100	120	- -	- -	412½	-	11	22
Nov. 18	260	400	190	210	120	130	100	120	- -	- -	417	-	11	23
Dec. 16	260	400	185	210	125	140	100	110	- -	- -	418	-	11	19
1770. Jan. 17	260	400	185	200	125	140	100	110	- -	- -	417	-	11	21
Feb. 10	260	400	180	200	125	140	100	110	- -	- -	418	-	11	21
Mar. 14	240	350	175	190	125	130	100	110	- -	- -	413	-	11	22
Apr. 14	200	330	150	165	110	120	90	100	- -	- -	417	-	11	29
May 5	190	310	140	150	100	120	100	105	- -	- -	418½	-	11	29
June 9	190	310	175	190	120	140	100	110	- -	- -	417	-	11	26
July 21	190	330	175	200	120	140	- -	- -	- -	- -	411½	-	11	27
Aug. 15	270	340	190	220	130	140	130	140	- -	- -	414	-	11	24
Sept. 15	280	380	213	230	150	170	- -	- -	- -	- -	411	-	11	21
Oct. 13	300	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	408	-	11	18
Nov. 10	310	420	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	411	-	11	18
Dec. 15	310	420	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	409	-	11	18
1771. Jan. -	330	440	270	280	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	411	-	11	18
Feb. 23	360	460	300	310	210	240	150	180	- -	- -	410	-	11	19
Mar. 16	360	460	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	412	-	11	20
Apr. -	360	460	290	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	414	-	11	22
May -	350	450	290	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	415½	-	11	24
June 26	350	420	290	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	415½	-	11	27
July 20	340	420	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	417½	-	11	26
Aug. 16	350	470	330	345	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	419½	-	11	24
Sept. -	360	480	335	360	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	416	-	11	23
Oct. 15	420	485	350	360	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	414	-	11	24
Nov. 13	440	500	360	375	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	420	-	11	26
Dec. 14	460	500	380	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	423	-	11	28

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1772. April 8	f. 400	f. 500	f. 370	f. 380	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	f. 425	-	f. 12	8
May 13	390	490	350	370	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	426 ½	-	12	16
June 13	360	530	355	380	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	431	-	12	12
July 11	360	540	345	375	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	434 ½	-	12	15
Aug. 12	360	540	345	375	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	436	-	11	24
Sept. 23	350	560	330	360	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	436	-	11	24
Oct. 7	350	550	330	360	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	432	-	12	-
Nov. 27	410	580	310	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	424	-	12	2
Dec. 18	410	580	310	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	430	-	12	1
1773. Jan. 15	410	580	310	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	429 ½	-	12	1
Feb. 16	410	580	310	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	437	-	12	1
Mar. 16	410	580	310	330	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	437	-	12	6
Apr. 16	410	580	310	330	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	433	-	12	8
May 14	380	550	295	310	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	439	-	12	7
June 11	380	530	270	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	429	-	12	5
July 2	440	540	250	280	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	432	-	12	3
Aug. 10	440	560	200	240	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	432	-	12	-
Sept. 10	440	560	210	240	180	190	100	105	- -	- -	432	-	12	-
Oct. 12	440	560	210	260	180	190	100	105	- -	- -	438 ½	-	12	-
Nov. 12	360	560	200	260	180	190	100	105	- -	- -	438 ½	-	12	-
Dec. 14	360	560	190	260	180	190	100	105	- -	- -	441	-	12	-
1774. Jan. 14	360	560	190	260	160	180	100	105	- -	- -	441	-	12	-
Feb. 18	350	550	190	260	150	180	100	105	- -	- -	437	-	12	-
Mar. 18	350	550	190	250	150	180	100	105	- -	- -	434	435	12	-
Apr. 22	350	580	180	250	150	180	115	120	- -	- -	428	-	12	-
May 17	300	510	150	190	140	160	100	110	- -	- -	424	-	12	-
June 17	300	510	190	220	140	160	100	110	- -	- -	427	428	12	-
July 15	300	490	200	240	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	422	-	12	-
Aug. 19	340	490	210	240	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	428	-	12	-
Sept. 16	380	490	230	250	140	170	115	125	- -	- -	424	-	12	-
Oct. 14	380	490	240	260	160	200	115	125	- -	- -	424 ½	-	12	-
Nov. 15	380	490	240	260	160	200	115	125	- -	- -	423	-	12	-
Dec. 16	380	490	240	260	160	200	115	125	- -	- -	427	-	12	-
1775. Jan. 13	380	490	260	280	160	200	115	125	- -	- -	423	424	12	-
Feb. 17	420	490	260	280	160	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	424	-	12	-
Mar. 14	420	490	260	280	160	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	421	422	12	-
Apr. 25	420	510	240	270	160	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	420	-	12	-
May 16	420	520	280	300	160	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	417	417 ½	12	-
June 13	420	520	280	300	160	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	417 ½	-	12	-
July 18	420	520	300	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	418 ½	-	12	-
Aug. 18	420	520	300	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	423	-	12	-
Sept. 15	420	510	280	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	427	-	12	-
Oct. 13	420	510	280	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	426	-	12	-
Nov. 21	400	500	260	290	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	431	-	12	-
Dec. 19	350	480	260	290	210	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	432	-	12	-
1776. Jan. 16	330	470	250	280	210	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	427	-	12	-
Feb. 16	330	470	250	280	210	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	427	-	12	-
Mar. 15	330	460	250	270	210	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	426	426 ½	12	-
Apr. 16	300	450	240	260	210	220	130	-	- -	- -	427	-	12	-
May 14	300	450	240	260	210	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	424 ½	-	12	-
June 14	300	450	220	250	210	220	115	120	- -	- -	428	-	12	-
July 16	280	440	200	240	210	220	115	120	- -	- -	426	426 ½	12	-
Aug. 16	280	440	200	240	150	180	115	120	- -	- -	427	-	12	-
Sept. 17	280	440	200	240	150	180	115	120	- -	- -	428	428 ½	12	-
Oct. 15	280	440	200	240	150	180	115	120	- -	- -	431	-	12	-
Nov. 15	280	440	200	240	150	180	115	120	- -	- -	429 ½	430	12	-
Dec. 17	250	400	200	240	150	180	115	120	- -	- -	434	-	12	-
1777. Jan. 17	250	400	200	240	150	280	115	120	- -	- -	428	-	12	-
Feb. -	250	400	200	240	150	280	115	120	- -	- -	430	-	12	-
Mar. 18	200	360	180	220	160	180	120	- -	- -	- -	429	-	12	-
Apr. 18	200	360	180	200	160	180	120	- -	- -	- -	424 ½	-	12	-
May 16	200	330	150	180	150	170	110	120	- -	- -	424	-	12	-
June 13	190	330	145	170	140	160	110	120	- -	- -	422	-	12	-
July 15	200	370	155	170	140	150	110	120	- -	- -	420	420 ½	12	-
Aug. 8	230	400	200	220	140	150	110	120	- -	- -	421	422	12	-
Sept. 16	230	400	190	210	140	150	110	120	- -	- -	421	-	12	-
Oct. 14	260	380	170	190	150	160	115	130	- -	- -	424	-	12	-
Nov. 18	260	380	170	190	150	160	100	120	- -	- -	429	-	12	-
Dec. 16	260	380	170	190	150	160	100	120	- -	- -	430 ½	-	12	-

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1778. Jan. 9	f. 260	f. 380	f. 170	f. 190	f. 150	f. 160	f. 100	f. 120	- -	- -	f. 427 ½	-	f. 12 -
Feb. 20	260	380	170	190	150	160	100	120	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
Mar. 13	260	380	180	200	150	160	100	120	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
Apr. 14	260	380	195	215	150	160	100	120	- -	- -	415	-	12 -
May 15	260	380	170	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	411	412	12 -
June 16	260	380	160	180	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	418	419	12 -
July 14	260	380	170	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	421	-	12 -
Aug. 14	260	380	170	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	420	421	12 -
Sept. 15	260	380	170	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
Oct. 16	260	380	170	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	429	429 ½	12 -
Nov. 17	260	380	170	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	429	-	12 -
Dec. 18	260	380	180	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	431	431 ½	12 -
1779. Jan. 15	260	380	180	190	160	170	120	130	- -	- -	430	-	12
Feb. 16	260	380	180	195	165	175	125	135	- -	- -	426 ½	427	12 -
Mar. 16	260	380	180	195	165	175	125	135	- -	- -	428	-	12 -
Apr. 16	260	360	170	185	140	150	120	- -	- -	- -	423	-	12 -
May 14	250	350	160	175	140	150	120	- -	- -	- -	420	-	12 -
June 18	230	330	140	155	140	150	120	- -	- -	- -	423	-	12 -
July 16	230	330	140	155	140	150	120	- -	- -	- -	422	422 ½	12 -
Aug. 17	230	330	140	155	- -	- -	95	110	- -	- -	423 ½	-	12 -
Sept. 17	230	330	150	160	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	426	-	12 -
Oct. 15	230	330	145	156	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	427	-	12 -
Nov. 16	230	330	145	155	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	430	-	12 -
Dec. 17	230	330	130	150	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	434	-	12 -
1780. Jan. 14	230	330	130	150	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	429	-	12 -
Feb. 15	230	330	130	150	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	429	430	12 -
Mar. 10	200	310	130	145	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	427	428	12 -
Apr. 14	190	290	120	135	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	421	-	12 -
May 9	190	290	120	130	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	423	424	12 -
June 2	190	290	125	135	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	422	-	12 -
— 16	190	290	140	150	120	130	80	90	- -	- -	422	-	12 -
July 14	200	300	150	160	120	130	90	100	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
— 18	200	300	155	165	120	130	90	100	- -	- -	423	-	12 -
Aug. 18	200	300	155	165	120	130	90	100	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
Sept. 12	200	300	150	160	120	130	90	100	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
Oct. 10	200	300	160	170	120	130	90	100	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
Nov. 3	200	300	170	180	120	130	90	100	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
— 17	220	310	160	170	130	140	100	110	- -	- -	426	-	12 -
Dec. 1	250	350	175	185	130	140	100	110	- -	- -	426	-	12 -
— 29	280	390	190	210	140	150	110	120	- -	- -	426	-	12 -
1781. Jan. 2	280	390	190	210	- -	- -	130	-	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
— 19	300	420	190	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
Feb. 16	300	420	190	210	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	427	-	12 -
Mar. 13	300	420	190	210	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	430	-	12 -
Apr. 10	260	400	185	200	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	428	429	12 -
May 15	260	400	175	190	150	160	115	125	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
June 12	260	400	190	200	150	160	115	125	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
— 22	260	400	200	210	150	160	115	125	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
July 10	260	400	210	220	150	160	115	125	- -	- -	422	-	12 -
Aug. 3	260	400	230	240	170	180	115	125	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
— 17	260	400	220	230	170	180	115	125	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
Sept. 14	260	380	225	235	170	180	115	125	- -	- -	425	426	12 -
Oct. 23	260	380	225	235	220	-	135	-	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
Nov. 2	260	380	240	250	220	-	135	-	- -	- -	425	-	12 -
Dec. 11	260	380	255	265	220	-	135	-	- -	- -	428	430	12 -
1782. Jan. 15	260	380	255	265	220	-	135	-	- -	- -	426	-	12 -
Feb. 19	260	380	255	265	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	427	428	12 -
Mar. 8	320	390	255	265	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	426	-	12 -
Apr. 19	320	390	265	275	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
May 24	320	390	270	280	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	422	-	12 -
June 18	320	390	270	280	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	421	-	12 -
July 16	320	390	270	280	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	422	-	12 -
Aug. 16	320	390	265	275	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	424	-	12 -
Sept. 27	320	400	240	250	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	419	-	12 -
Oct. 15	320	400	210	225	- -	- -	135	-	- -	- -	419	-	12 -
Nov. 15	320	400	200	215	170	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	417	-	12 -
Dec. 10	340	450	200	215	170	- -	110	-	- -	- -	416	-	12 -
1783. Jan. 21	340	440	210	230	170	180	135	-	- -	- -	415	-	12 -
Feb. 18	340	440	210	230	190	200	130	-	- -	- -	416	-	12 -
Mar 28	350	460	200	220	190	200	130	-	- -	- -	413	414	12 -

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1783. Apr. 11	f. 320	f. 440	f. 190	f. 210	f. 170	f. 190	f. 130	–	- -	- -	f. 411	–	f. 12 –
May 16	300	420	170	190	170	180	130	–	- -	- -	405	–	12
June 13	280	400	180	200	160	170	120	f. 130	- -	- -	406	f. 407	12 –
July 18	340	440	205	220	200	–	150	–	- -	- -	404	–	12 –
Aug. 19	320	430	195	215	200	210	150	–	- -	- -	413	–	12
Sept. 19	300	410	195	215	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	416	–	12 –
Oct. 21	300	400	210	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	417	–	12 –
Nov. 14	300	400	210	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	419	–	12 –
Dec. 16	300	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	424	–	12 –
1784. Jan. 29	330	410	220	230	240	–	150	–	- -	- -	418	–	12 –
Feb. 20	310	410	220	230	240	–	150	–	- -	- -	423	–	12 –
Mar. 30	310	410	220	230	220	225	130	135	- -	- -	418	–	12 –
Apr. 20	310	410	220	230	215	220	130	135	- -	- -	413	–	12 –
May 21	320	440	260	275	210	220	135	150	- -	- -	406	–	12 –
June 18	320	440	255	265	210	220	135	150	- -	- -	408	–	12 –
July 23	320	420	240	260	180	200	140	150	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
Aug. 24	300	410	235	255	190	205	135	150	- -	- -	414	–	12 –
Sept. 24	330	430	220	240	190	205	135	150	- -	- -	413	–	12 –
Oct. 22	420	510	220	240	190	205	135	150	- -	- -	414	–	12 –
Nov. 23	400	480	215	230	190	205	135	150	- -	- -	414	–	12 –
Dec. 14	400	480	215	230	190	205	135	150	- -	- -	414	–	12 –
1785. Jan. 11	400	460	210	215	220	225	140	150	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
Feb. 18	400	460	210	230	220	225	140	150	- -	- -	414	–	12 –
Mar. 8	400	460	210	240	222	225	140	150	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
Apr. 15	380	450	200	220	200	210	135	150	- -	- -	413	–	12 –
May 17	360	420	200	220	180	200	135	150	- -	- -	408	–	12 –
June 14	330	410	190	210	180	200	135	150	- -	- -	408	409	12 –
July 12	330	400	205	210	180	200	135	150	- -	- -	411	–	12 –
Aug. 9	360	400	220	230	180	200	135	150	- -	- -	410	–	12 –
Sept. 9	360	430	220	230	180	200	135	150	- -	- -	410	–	12 –
Oct. 14	370	440	230	250	200	220	140	160	- -	- -	410	–	12 –
Nov. 11	390	470	250	270	230	250	140	160	- -	- -	411	–	12 –
Dec. 16	390	470	260	280	230	250	140	160	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
1786. Jan. 17	390	470	260	280	230	250	140	160	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
Feb. 18	390	470	280	290	230	250	140	160	- -	- -	413	–	12 –
Mar. 14	380	450	290	295	230	250	140	160	- -	- -	415	–	12 –
Apr. 21	370	430	270	285	210	230	140	160	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
May 23	340	410	250	270	190	200	130	150	- -	- -	410	–	12 –
June 20	340	410	250	270	180	200	130	150	- -	- -	406	–	12 –
July 18	340	410	270	280	180	200	130	150	- -	- -	406	–	12 –
Aug. 15	340	410	285	295	215	230	140	160	- -	- -	408	–	12 –
Sept. 12	340	410	265	275	215	230	140	160	- -	- -	412	413	12 –
Oct. 6	340	410	280	290	215	230	140	160	- -	- -	409	410	12 –
Nov. 14	380	430	315	330	220	230	140	160	- -	- -	417	–	12 –
Dec. 12	350	430	315	330	215	230	140	160	- -	- -	416	–	12 –
1787. Jan. 16	370	430	325	340	215	230	140	160	- -	- -	412	413	12 –
Feb. 13	370	410	330	350	210	220	140	160	- -	- -	416	–	12 –
Mar. 23	370	410	320	330	210	220	140	160	- -	- -	412	–	12 –
Apr. 24	370	410	300	310	210	220	140	160	- -	- -	407	–	12 –
May 15	340	390	260	280	180	200	140	150	- -	- -	408	–	12 –
June 22	350	390	310	325	180	220	140	150	- -	- -	407	408	12 –
July 20	350	390	300	320	190	220	140	150	- -	- -	409	411	12 –
Aug. 21	380	450	300	320	190	220	140	150	- -	- -	414	415	12 –
Sept. 11	390	440	320	330	190	220	140	150	- -	- -	414	415	12 –
Oct. 23	370	440	320	340	180	220	140	150	- -	- -	414	415	12 –
Nov. 9	370	440	320	350	180	220	140	150	- -	- -	416	–	12 –
Dec. 18	370	440	320	340	180	220	140	150	- -	- -	416	417	12 –
1788. Jan. 22	380	410	320	340	180	220	140	150	- -	- -	410	411	12 –
Feb. 29	410	440	320	340	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	408	–	12 –
Mar. 21	410	440	320	340	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	409	–	12 –
Apr. 18	370	390	320	340	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	404	405	12 –
May 20	370	390	270	280	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	403	–	12 –
June 10	370	390	270	280	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	403	–	12 –
July 25	380	400	270	290	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	405	–	12 –
Aug. 1	380	400	260	280	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	405	406	12 –
Sept. 23	380	400	250	270	180	220	130	140	- -	- -	410	–	12 –
Oct. 24	380	400	230	250	190	240	130	140	- -	- -	405	–	12 –
Nov. 14	370	390	230	250	190	240	130	140	- -	- -	404	–	12 –
Dec. 16	370	390	230	250	190	240	130	140	- -	- -	405	–	12 –

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1789. Jan. 13	f. 360	f. 430	f. 230	f. 250	f. 190	f. 240	f. 130	f. 140	- -	- -	f. 403	–	f. 12 –
Feb. 3	390	450	240	255	190	240	130	140	- -	- -	404	–	12 –
Mar. 31	420	470	255	270	190	240	130	140	- -	- -	406	–	12 –
Apr. 24	430	480	255	270	190	240	130	140	- -	- -	404	–	12 –
May 19	460	580	270	280	190	240	150	160	- -	- -	397	–	12 –
— 29	480	590	350	360	190	240	150	160	- -	- -	397	398	12 –
June 16	580	670	350	370	220	250	150	160	- -	- -	395	396	12 –
July 14	630	740	350	380	220	250	160	170	- -	- -	399	–	12 –
— 31	700	800	340	370	220	250	160	170	- -	- -	398	399	12 –
Aug. 14	700	780	320	350	220	250	160	170	- -	- -	398	399	12 –
— 28	600	680	310	350	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	400	–	12 –
Sept. 22	500	600	310	350	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	406	407	12 –
Oct. 23	560	650	310	350	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	402	–	12 –
— 30	630	720	340	360	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	400	401	12 –
Nov. 3	640	720	330	360	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	401	–	12 –
Dec. –	640	720	330	360	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	399	402	12 –
1790. Jan. 5	620	720	340	370	190	240	160	170	- -	- -	398	–	12 –
Feb. 9	620	720	360	385	220	240	160	170	- -	- -	400	–	12 –
Mar. 19	580	660	320	350	220	240	160	170	- -	- -	394	–	12 –
— 26	500	600	300	340	210	240	160	170	- -	- -	394	–	12 –
May 14	560	650	340	370	200	240	160	170	- -	- -	391	–	12 –
— 28	570	670	330	370	215	240	160	170	- -	- -	390	–	12 –
June 29	520	630	310	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	390	–	12 –
July 13	500	600	300	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	395	–	12 –
— 27	480	580	300	350	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	397	398	12 –
Aug. 13	460	560	290	330	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	406	–	12 –
— 31	440	540	290	330	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	403	405	12 –
Sept. 17	420	520	280	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	407	–	12 –
Oct. 12	380	480	260	310	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	407	–	12 –
— 29	400	500	280	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	406	–	12 –
Dec. 3	370	470	270	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	401	–	12
1791. Feb. 8	400	470	270	310	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	404	–	12 –
— 22	410	480	270	310	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	400	–	12 –
Mar. 4	410	480	270	310	220	240	140	150	- -	- -	400	–	12 –
— 15	410	480	250	300	220	240	140	150	- -	- -	401	–	12 –

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHITE PEASE.		EXCHANGE on London in Guilders and Groshes, per £. Sterling.	
1791. Apr. 15	f. 360	f. 460	f. 220	f. 260	f. 180	f. 210	f. 115	f. 135	- -	- -	f. 25	f. 15
— 22	380	490	215	235	180	210	130	150	- -	- -	24	27
May 10	380	490	210	225	180	210	130	150	- -	- -	25	9
June 7	360	470	205	220	180	210	120	135	- -	- -	25	10
July 5	380	480	215	230	170	180	110	120	- -	- -	25	18
Aug. 12	370	460	220	240	170	190	110	120	- -	- -	25	25
Sept. 23	360	450	210	230	180	220	110	120	- -	- -	25	28
Oct. 11	360	450	225	235	200	220	110	120	- -	- -	25	27
— 17	360	450	230	240	200	220	110	120	- -	- -	25	25
Dec. 9	360	450	230	240	200	220	110	120	- -	- -	25	21
1792. Feb. 21	360	450	220	235	190	220	110	120	- -	- -	24	24
Mar. 27	340	430	215	230	190	220	110	120	- -	- -	24	6
Apr. 6	340	420	210	225	190	220	110	120	- -	- -	24	–
— 17	320	420	200	215	170	200	110	120	- -	- -	23	24
— 24	300	400	190	205	165	200	110	120	- -	- -	24	18
— 27	300	380	180	200	160	180	110	120	- -	- -	24	19
May 11	300	380	220	230	180	200	110	120	- -	- -	23	12
— 15	300	380	210	240	180	200	110	120	- -	- -	23	9
— 22	320	380	220	240	180	200	110	120	- -	- -	23	13
June 1	320	380	210	230	180	200	115	125	- -	- -	23	15
Aug. 31	320	380	205	225	170	190	120	130	- -	- -	24	12
Sept. 11	320	380	210	225	170	190	120	130	- -	- -	24	15
— 18	320	380	215	225	170	190	120	130	- -	- -	24	16
— 25	330	400	220	230	170	190	120	130	- -	- -	24	18
Oct. 9	380	440	235	250	170	190	120	130	- -	- -	25	20
— 19	420	500	270	285	180	240	120	130	- -	- -	25	18
Nov. 16	440	520	285	310	200	240	120	130	- -	- -	24	24
Dec. 25	440	520	300	320	200	240	120	130	- -	- -	25	19

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1793. Jan. 22	f. 440	f. 520	f. 320	f. 330	f. 200	f. 240	f. 130	f. 140	- -	- -	f. 25	f. 6
Feb. 15	440	530	310	330	230	240	150	160	- -	- -	25	22 ½
Mar. 21	440	530	300	320	230	240	150	160	- -	- -	26	24
April 9	400	480	280	300	230	240	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	24
May 17	380	460	240	270	200	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	-
June 21	380	480	260	280	200	230	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	21
July 30	380	480	260	290	200	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	27
Aug. 30	400	490	260	290	200	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	22 ½
Sept. 13	400	490	270	300	200	220	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	6
— 24	400	490	290	310	240	250	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	-
Nov. 12	380	480	290	310	230	250	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	9
Dec. 6	380	480	290	310	220	240	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	5
— 30	420	490	300	320	220	240	- -	- -	- -	- -	26	9
1794. Jan. 10	480	525	310	330	230	240	- -	- -	f. 350	f. 370	26	5
— 21	480	525	310	340	230	260	- -	- -	360	400	25	24
Feb. 7	470	510	310	340	230	260	- -	- -	360	400	26	6
— 25	450	500	310	340	230	250	- -	- -	360	400	26	6
Mar. 14	430	490	300	330	230	250	- -	- -	360	400	26	-
— 25	410	500	280	330	210	240	- -	- -	360	400	26	3
Apr. 25	390	500	260	330	210	240	- -	- -	360	400	25	15
— 28	400	500	280	330	210	240	- -	- -	380	420	25	15
May 6	420	500	290	330	210	240	- -	- -	380	420	25	18
— 30	450	540	300	340	- -	- -	- -	- -	380	420	25	-
June 24	460	540	310	340	- -	- -	- -	- -	380	420	24	27
July 25	450	520	300	340	- -	- -	- -	- -	450	480	24	24
Aug. 22	450	520	310	340	- -	- -	- -	- -	480	-	24	24
Sept. 5	450	520	335	370	- -	- -	- -	- -	480	540	24	21
— 23	480	530	355	380	- -	- -	- -	- -	550	580	24	15
Oct. 7	530	570	355	385	- -	- -	- -	- -	570	600	24	18
Nov. 4	500	550	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	24	4
Dec. -	480	550	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	27
1795. Jan. 13	500	550	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	24	-
— 27	520	570	445	-	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	12
Feb. 6	550	600	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	-
— 24	570	620	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	660	-	23	-
Mar. 3	580	620	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	-
— 17	600	630	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	19
Apr. 10	600	660	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	6
— 24	630	680	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	1
— 28	680	720	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	-
May -	750	800	480	-	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	22	7 ½
June -	800	900	575	-	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	18
July -	810	900	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	25
Sept. -	700	800	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	22	7 ½
Oct. -	770	900	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	430	450	22	24
Nov. -	800	920	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	430	450	22	29
Dec. -	880	960	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	430	450	22	10
1796. Jan. 22	940	1,050	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	470	-	-	-
Feb. 23	840	950	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	400	-	-	-
Mar. 25	860	950	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	380	-	-	-
Apr. 22	800	900	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	400	-	-	-
May 3	600	700	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	340	-	-	-
— 20	580	680	- -	- -	240	260	130	150	340	370	22	6
June 10	600	700	280	310	180	210	130	150	320	350	22	9
July 8	550	700	270	300	190	210	130	150	270	300	22	3
Sept. 1	460	630	240	300	170	190	130	140	250	270	22	16
— 27	400	550	215	260	170	190	130	140	250	270	22	21
Oct. 4	440	560	230	270	170	190	130	140	250	270	23	7 ½
— 11	450	600	250	290	180	190	130	140	290	300	23	6
Nov. 11	430	560	230	250	195	200	130	140	280	300	24	4
Dec. -	420	560	220	250	200	210	130	140	260	280	24	3
1797. Jan. 13	400	550	210	250	190	200	130	140	260	300	24	7
Feb. 7	380	500	210	240	190	200	130	140	240	270	24	20
— 17	370	480	200	230	180	190	130	140	230	260	24	18
— 23	350	480	200	230	170	180	130	140	220	250	24	16
Mar. 14	320	450	180	210	160	170	120	140	220	240	25	6
Apr. 4	300	400	170	190	150	155	120	130	200	220	25	12
May 19	340	410	180	200	150	160	120	130	180	200	25	6
— 26	350	420	210	230	150	160	120	130	180	200	25	6
June 9	370	460	215	230	160	170	120	130	180	200	25	11
Aug. 18	400	480	220	240	160	170	130	140	200	230	25	23

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1797. Sept. 1	f. 420	f. 500	f. 230	f. 250	f. 160	f. 170	f. 130	f. 140	f. 230	f. 280	f. 25	f. 25
— 8	480	540	250	265	160	170	130	140	230	280	26	2
— 19	500	600	250	270	170	180	140	150	300	350	25	16
Oct. 13	530	630	240	260	180	200	140	150	260	345	25	12
— 24	450	600	220	250	200	210	140	150	260	320	25	18
Dec. 19	420	550	220	240	200	220	140	150	260	320	26	5
1798. Feb. 16	380	520	210	240	180	200	120	140	240	270	26	2
Mar. 29	380	520	220	240	170	190	120	140	240	270	26	3
Apr. 17	350	500	180	210	160	180	120	140	240	270	26	3
May 4	350	500	210	230	160	180	120	140	240	300	25	10
— 11	350	500	220	240	170	190	120	140	240	300	25	10
June 5	380	500	215	235	190	200	120	140	240	300	25	15
— 29	380	500	230	250	190	200	- -	- -	240	300	25	6
July 10	380	480	250	270	- -	- -	- -	- -	240	300	25	20
— 20	400	500	255	280	240	- -	- -	- -	310	- -	25	12
— 27	440	520	260	280	240	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	13
Sept. 4	440	520	250	270	260	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	11
— 20	430	500	250	270	- -	- -	- -	- -	320	340	25	19
Oct. 2	450	500	260	270	- -	- -	- -	- -	320	340	26	1
Nov. 9	430	500	280	300	- -	- -	- -	- -	310	360	26	6
— 27	430	500	290	310	- -	- -	- -	- -	310	360	25	27
Dec. 4	430	500	300	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	310	360	25	24
— 18	430	520	310	320	- -	- -	- -	- -	310	360	25	22 ½
1799. Jan. 18	440	520	320	330	- -	- -	- -	- -	310	360	25	16
Feb. 12	440	535	320	330	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	21
— 22	440	550	325	335	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	13
Mar. 1	440	550	330	340	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	25	15
Apr. 26	420	540	325	335	- -	- -	- -	- -	400	440	24	21
May 17	450	560	335	345	- -	- -	- -	- -	400	440	23	6
— 24	500	620	360	375	280	290	- -	- -	400	440	23	21
June 28	460	600	340	355	280	290	190	200	420	480	23	12
July 19	460	600	350	370	250	270	190	200	420	480	23	3
Aug. 27	480	630	330	370	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	22	21
Sept. 13	480	650	325	370	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	24
— 20	550	670	325	370	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	15
Oct. 1	500	670	350	380	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	6
— 15	500	700	380	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	15
Nov. 1	600	750	380	430	- -	- -	- -	- -	460	520	19	20
— 19	600	750	410	440	- -	- -	- -	- -	460	520	19	15
Dec. 17	700	800	460	500	270	280	- -	- -	- -	- -	20	-
1800. Feb. 4	700	850	480	530	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	3
— 14	730	900	520	550	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	6
May 16	730	900	460	550	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	22	-
June 20	760	920	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	15
— 27	880	950	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	9
July 4	900	1,100	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	4
— 11	860	1,050	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	9
Aug. 5	800	1,000	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	10
— 12	730	850	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	19
Sept. 16	600	800	- -	- -	- -	- -	220	240	- -	- -	21	22 ½
— 25	660	850	- -	- -	- -	- -	220	240	- -	- -	21	24
Oct. 3	680	900	- -	- -	- -	- -	220	240	- -	- -	21	27
— 17	720	920	- -	- -	- -	- -	220	240	- -	- -	22	10
— 24	850	1,070	- -	- -	- -	- -	220	240	- -	- -	22	-
Nov. 11	920	1,100	- -	- -	- -	- -	240	260	- -	- -	21	23
1801. Jan. 21	1,020	1,200	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	-
— 16	1,050	1,230	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	7 ½
Mar. 31	1,000	1,200	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	15
Apr. 13	950	1,150	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21	14
May 12	940	1,080	- -	- -	400	420	- -	- -	580	600	21	18
— 22	800	950	- -	- -	320	350	- -	- -	530	580	21	19
June 23	900	1,020	450	500	340	380	200	220	530	580	21	18
July 10	900	1,020	450	500	340	415	200	220	530	580	21	21
Aug. 7	900	1,050	490	515	340	415	190	210	- -	- -	21	9
— 21	800	1,000	480	515	340	415	190	210	- -	- -	21	12
Sept. 4	760	950	475	500	340	415	180	190	- -	- -	21	16
8	730	950	400	450	300	330	180	190	470	500	21	17
Oct. 13	780	950	450	470	300	330	180	190	460	480	22	10
— 30	700	900	450	480	295	310	- -	- -	410	440	22	28
Nov. 13	609	800	370	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	360	400	22	18
Dec. 11	660	850	360	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	320	400	22	24
— 22	660	880	360	400	- -	- -	- -	- -	340	400	22	15

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1802. Jan. 8	f. 680	f. 880	f. 390	f. 430	- -	- -	- -	- -	f. 350	f. 400	22	19
Feb. 26	680	880	450	470	- -	- -	- -	- -	350	400	22	18
Mar. 26	620	820	415	430	- -	- -	- -	- -	320	350	22	18
Apr. 16	500	700	370	415	- -	- -	- -	- -	320	350	23	1
May 17	500	680	340	380	- -	- -	- -	- -	300	330	22	22 ½
— 28	600	750	380	420	f. 280	f. 320	f. 200	f. 210	330	360	22	24
June 25	600	750	410	435	290	320	200	210	330	360	22	27
July 30	600	700	435	450	285	300	220	240	330	360	23	1
Aug. 27	570	700	415	430	275	300	220	240	330	360	23	3
Oct. 8	600	700	435	445	275	300	200	220	420	570	24	—
— 19	580	680	415	435	275	300	200	220	400	500	23	28
Nov. 9	600	700	415	435	275	300	200	220	370	480	23	24
Dec. 7	600	700	425	450	275	300	200	220	400	460	24	—
— 31	600	700	450	470	275	300	200	220	370	420	24	6
1803. Jan. 28	570	700	465	480	275	300	200	220	370	420	24	—
Mar. 8	515	700	450	480	275	320	200	220	370	420	23	19
April 8	515	700	400	460	275	310	200	220	380	420	23	24
— 29	500	680	400	450	275	300	200	220	370	400	23	27
May 17	480	620	360	390	275	300	200	220	370	420	23	13
June 7	520	650	370	390	275	300	240	270	370	420	22	25
July 22	500	620	335	360	290	300	240	260	370	420	22	18
Aug. 16	480	610	340	370	280	300	210	260	370	420	23	—
Sept. 6	530	660	360	380	290	310	210	220	370	420	23	3
Oct. 14	530	650	360	380	295	305	205	215	350	380	23	19
Nov. 1	520	650	360	380	260	280	205	215	360	390	24	—
— 15	520	630	360	380	260	280	205	215	360	390	24	—
Dec. 16	520	630	365	385	250	280	205	215	330	380	23	27
1804. Feb. 28	480	600	350	370	250	280	205	215	330	390	24	10
Mar. 27	480	600	350	370	250	280	210	215	320	370	24	18
May 4	460	600	350	380	230	260	200	210	310	360	25	3
— 29	440	560	350	380	230	260	200	210	310	350	25	6
June 8	420	600	340	370	220	260	200	210	300	340	25	3
July 3	420	550	330	350	210	250	200	210	300	340	24	18
— 15	420	550	300	340	200	240	180	200	300	330	24	18
Aug. 10	430	600	320	350	190	230	180	200	300	330	24	24
— 21	480	650	345	380	210	240	180	200	300	330	24	21
— 28	630	800	400	450	270	300	200	220	- -	- -	24	18
Sept. 7	700	900	440	470	270	300	200	220	- -	- -	24	6
— 14	700	860	440	470	270	300	200	220	- -	- -	24	—
Oct. 2	700	890	430	460	280	310	200	220	350	380	23	27
— 19	680	850	415	440	280	310	200	220	360	400	24	3
Nov. 2	720	900	415	440	280	310	200	220	360	400	24	9
— 9	760	900	420	440	280	320	200	220	360	400	24	3
— 30	900	1,060	440	460	- -	- -	230	250	360	400	24	12
Dec. 4	1,000	1,150	455	470	- -	- -	230	250	360	400	24	9
— 14	1,000	1,150	470	485	- -	- -	230	250	360	440	24	10
1805. Jan. 4	950	1,150	470	485	- -	- -	230	250	360	440	24	6
Feb. 1	850	1,080	440	460	360	380	230	250	360	440	24	10
Mar. 19	900	1,150	440	460	370	390	230	250	360	480	24	4
— 29	850	1,050	415	430	370	390	230	250	360	480	24	9
April 9	750	950	415	430	370	390	230	250	360	480	24	3
May 3	750	900	415	430	360	380	- -	- -	380	460	24	—
— 17	700	850	415	430	360	380	- -	- -	380	460	24	6
— 28	750	900	460	500	380	400	- -	- -	420	460	23	24
June 14	790	940	540	580	420	440	- -	- -	440	470	23	9
July 16	750	920	550	570	440	460	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	21
Aug. 16	750	1,000	530	570	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	18
Sept. 6	800	1,020	585	600	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	23	12
— 13	800	980	600	610	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	22	27
1806. Apr. 25	750	800	War with England, and Swedish Blockade - - -								23	21
— —	650	720									23	16
Oct. 14	780	850									23	22 ½
— —	650	730									23	6
1807.	- -	- -	The Export prohibited by the French.									
1808.	- -	- -	The Export prohibited by the French.									
1809. Oct. —	425	450	The Export connived at by the French towards the end of the year.								19	

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1810. May –	410	600	The Export connived at by the French - - -				19	21
June –	500	750					19	21
1811. Mar. –	380	400	The Export permitted in the beginning of the year				20	–
April –	380	400	by French Licences.				20	–
1812.	- -	- -	The Export prohibited.					
1813.	- -	- -	The Town blockaded and besieged.					

The Prices and Exchanges henceforth in Prussian Money.

1814. April –	f.350	f.380	f.210	f.220	f.160	f.170	f.135	f.150	f.240	f.270	f.14	f. 6
May –	350	380	260	270	160	170	180	170	240	270	14	6
June –	320	425	270	280	160	170	160	170	200	250	14	19
July –	320	425	240	250	150	160	135	150	190	240	16	4
Aug. –	360	480	220	230	135	150	135	150	160	210	18	3
Sept. –	400	580	265	280	180	190	170	180	200	220	17	12
Oct. –	380	520	310	320	190	240	170	180	300	310	17	3
Nov. –	350	490	310	315	260	240	150	160	280	310	17	2
Dec. –	330	480	315	330	260	240	170	180	280	310	17	3
1815. Jan. –	400	500	320	330	180	200	170	180	240	260	17	18
Feb. –	400	500	320	330	180	200	170	180	240	260	17	18
Mar. –	400	500	320	330	180	200	170	180	240	260	17	–
Apr. 11	400	500	340	350	220	230	180	200	300	320	15	–
May 5	400	480	310	320	210	220	160	180	280	300	15	15
June 5	400	480	310	320	210	220	160	180	280	300	15	7½
July 11	390	450	290	300	210	220	160	180	250	270	17	–
— 25	390	450	280	290	210	220	160	170	240	250	17	–
— 28	350	420	280	290	210	220	160	170	240	250	17	–
Aug. 25	370	430	260	270	190	200	160	170	240	250	17	21
Sep. 15	390	450	250	260	180	190	150	160	240	250	17	15
Oct. 6	390	450	230	240	180	190	150	160	240	250	17	22½
— 17	390	450	215	225	180	190	150	160	240	250	18	–
— 31	390	450	230	240	180	190	150	160	240	250	18	9
Nov. 21	370	430	250	260	180	190	150	160	240	250	18	6
Dec. 21	370	430	250	260	180	190	150	160	240	250	18	18
1816. Jan. 9	360	410	240	250	170	180	140	150	230	240	18	21
Mar. 19	380	430	240	250	170	180	140	150	230	240	19	18
Apr. 5	380	430	210	220	170	180	140	150	210	220	19	12
— 12	380	430	210	220	170	180	140	150	210	215	19	12
May 10	380	450	220	230	170	180	140	150	210	215	19	10
— 17	410	500	235	245	170	180	140	150	220	230	19	10
— 21	460	550	250	260	180	190	140	150	240	250	19	10
— 24	520	620	280	300	180	190	140	150	240	250	19	6
June 7	490	600	300	320	180	190	140	150	250	270	19	7½
— 18	450	600	260	280	180	190	140	150	250	270	19	9
— 25	420	580	260	270	180	190	140	150	250	270	19	15
July 9	400	550	260	270	180	190	140	150	250	270	19	9
— 26	400	550	280	300	180	190	140	150	250	270	19	21
— 30	480	600	300	320	180	190	140	150	250	270	19	22½
Aug. 16	400	600	280	300	180	190	140	150	250	270	20	–
Sept. 20	480	600	310	320	180	190	140	150	250	270	20	7
— 24	480	600	330	340	180	190	140	150	250	270	20	6
— 27	530	650	330	340	180	190	140	150	250	270	20	–
Oct. 1	530	650	350	360	180	190	140	150	280	290	20	–
— 4	530	650	340	350	200	220	140	150	270	300	20	–
— 15	520	675	360	370	200	220	150	160	330	350	20	9
— 18	520	675	340	350	200	220	150	160	330	350	20	9
— 22	550	700	340	350	200	220	150	160	350	380	20	9
— 25	600	780	360	370	220	230	150	160	380	400	20	4
Nov. 1	540	850	410	420	240	260	150	160	360	380	20	–
— 8	540	850	390	400	220	240	150	160	360	380	19	18
— 15	540	850	390	400	240	250	150	160	- -	- -	19	27
— 19	540	850	390	400	240	250	160	170	- -	- -	20	–
Dec. 6	700	950	450	460	280	290	190	200	420	430	19	25
— 10	700	950	470	480	280	290	190	200	420	430	19	26
— 13	700	950	530	540	280	290	190	200	430	450	19	21
— 17	700	960	550	560	330	350	190	200	430	450	19	22½
— 20	750	1,000	550	560	330	350	190	200	460	480	19	18
— 24	750	1,010	550	560	330	350	190	200	480	500	19	18
— 27	880	1,100	550	560	330	350	190	200	480	500	19	15

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1817. Jan. 7	f.880	1,100	f.550	f.560	f.330	f.350	f.190	f.200	f.480	f.5 0	f.19	f. 6
— 17	880	1,100	520	540	330	350	190	200	520	550	19	10
— 28	880	1,100	500	520	330	350	190	200	520	550	19	10
Mar. 11	750	1,000	490	500	300	310	190	200	520	550	19	15
— 21	750	1,000	450	470	300	310	190	200	520	550	19	15
— 28	750	1,000	430	450	280	300	190	200	440	460	19	10
April 4	700	1,000	410	430	280	300	190	200	440	460	19	6
— 18	700	900	370	390	260	280	190	200	440	460	19	–
— 25	650	850	350	360	230	250	190	200	400	430	18	27
May 20	650	885	350	370	220	230	190	200	400	430	18	28
— 23	650	885	350	370	220	250	190	200	400	430	19	–
— 30	730	1,000	390	400	250	280	190	200	400	430	18	18
June 10	730	1,000	390	400	250	280	190	210	400	430	18	24
— 13	800	1,050	400	410	250	280	200	220	400	430	18	18
— 17	830	1,100	410	420	250	280	200	220	400	430	18	21
— 20	850	1,150	460	480	300	330	200	220	400	440	18	18
— 27	850	1,150	460	480	330	350	230	250	400	440	18	15
July. 4	800	1,100	460	470	350	370	230	250	400	440	18	15
— 11	700	900	390	400	300	330	230	250	400	440	18	15
— 18	700	920	370	390	300	330	230	250	400	440	18	20
— 22	700	920	370	390	270	290	230	250	400	440	18	18
— 25	700	920	370	390	270	300	230	250	400	440	18	21
— 28	780	1,050	420	430	330	350	230	250	400	440	18	18
— 29	650	850	330	350	250	270	230	250	400	440	18	21
Aug. 15	540	800	300	320	222	240	200	220	300	330	19	13
— 19	540	750	300	320	222	240	200	220	300	330	19	13
— 26	540	750	280	300	210	220	190	200	300	330	19	9
Sep. 2	540	750	280	300	210	220	190	200	300	330	19	3
— 12	540	720	300	320	210	220	190	200	300	320	19	4
— 26	500	700	280	300	210	220	190	200	300	330	19	10
Oct. 7	500	700	300	320	210	220	190	200	300	330	19	6
— 21	500	700	300	325	210	220	190	200	300	330	19	–
— 28	500	700	300	325	210	220	150	170	300	360	19	–
— 31	500	700	320	335	210	220	150	170	300	360	19	–
Nov. 4	500	700	320	335	220	230	150	170	330	360	18	25
— 7	500	700	330	340	240	250	150	170	360	360	18	21
— 14	500	700	310	330	220	240	150	170	330	380	18	21
— 21	500	700	320	340	220	240	150	170	330	350	18	24
— 28	550	700	330	340	230	250	150	170	330	350	18	28
Dec. 2	550	700	330	340	230	250	150	170	330	350	18	24
— 23	580	750	330	340	230	250	150	170	330	350	18	20
1818. Jan. 2	580	750	330	340	230	250	150	170	330	350	18	22 ½
— 9	600	800	340	350	230	250	150	170	330	350	18	23
— 20	630	800	360	370	250	265	170	180	330	350	18	25
Feb. 10	600	770	350	360	250	265	185	200	330	350	18	24
— 24	600	770	340	350	240	265	185	200	330	350	18	18
Mar. 6	580	730	330	340	340	250	185	200	330	350	18	18
— 13	570	700	330	340	230	240	185	190	320	330	18	19
— 20	580	720	300	320	240	250	175	180	320	330	18	17
— 31	560	730	300	320	250	260	175	180	320	330	18	15
Apr. 10	560	730	300	320	250	260	175	180	330	340	18	15
— 17	560	740	300	310	250	260	175	180	330	340	18	6
— 21	560	740	300	310	250	270	175	180	330	340	18	6
May 5	560	720	290	300	240	250	175	180	330	340	18	12
— 8	520	660	290	300	240	250	175	180	330	340	18	7 ½
— 22	520	660	300	310	230	240	175	180	330	340	18	6
— 29	500	630	300	310	230	240	175	180	330	340	18	4
June 16	530	650	300	310	230	250	175	–	330	340	18	6
— 23	550	680	310	310	240	250	175	180	330	340	18	6
— 26	550	680	300	320	240	265	175	180	330	340	18	6
July 10	550	660	300	320	240	280	175	180	330	340	18	12
— 14	550	665	300	320	250	275	175	190	340	360	18	13
— 17	550	670	300	320	250	275	180	210	340	375	18	12
— 21	600	750	300	320	280	300	-	-	-	-	18	9
— 24	600	750	310	330	280	300	-	-	-	-	18	13
— 28	600	750	310	330	300	330	-	-	-	-	18	10
Aug. 4	580	725	310	330	330	330	-	-	-	-	18	12
— 11	570	700	300	320	300	320	210	230	-	-	18	13
— 18	560	680	300	320	300	320	200	220	-	-	18	18
Sep. 1	590	700	330	340	300	320	200	220	-	-	18	18
— 18	590	700	340	350	310	330	210	220	-	-	18	27
— 25	590	700	340	360	310	330	210	220	-	-	18	24
— 29	590	700	360	370	320	340	220	230	530	550	18	21
Oct. 9	590	700	360	370	320	330	210	220	500	525	18	12

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1818. Oct. 16	f.590	f.700	f.360	f.370	f.320	f.330	f.210	f.220	f.460	f.500	f.18	f.13
— 30	570	700	350	360	320	330	200	210	440	460	18	9
Nov. 17	570	680	350	360	320	330	200	210	440	460	18	–
Dec. 1	570	680	360	370	320	330	200	210	440	460	17	21
— 4	570	680	360	370	300	310	200	210	440	420	18	6
1819. Jan. 1	570	680	360	370	300	310	200	210	400	420	18	15
— 12	520	650	350	360	300	310	190	200	380	400	18	12
— 29	520	650	350	360	300	310	190	200	380	400	18	18
Feb. 9	520	650	340	350	290	300	180	190	350	370	18	16
— 16	500	620	340	350	290	300	180	190	350	370	18	18
Mar. 2	500	620	320	330	290	300	180	190	350	370	18	27
— 16	460	600	310	320	260	280	175	180	330	350	18	22 ½
— 30	460	580	290	300	250	270	175	180	310	330	19	4
Apr. 2	460	580	290	300	250	270	175	180	310	330	19	3
— 9	430	550	290	300	230	240	160	170	310	330	18	4
— 20	400	530	280	290	230	240	150	160	280	300	18	25
— 30	360	480	270	280	180	200	150	160	280	300	18	24
May 14	340	450	260	270	180	200	140	150	280	300	19	–
June 25	340	450	275	290	180	200	140	150	280	300	19	12
— 29	340	450	290	300	200	220	170	180	280	300	19	12
July 9	340	450	300	320	200	230	170	180	280	300	19	12
— 13	360	480	300	320	200	230	170	180	280	300	19	18
— 20	390	500	300	320	220	250	170	180	280	300	19	28
— 30	390	500	290	300	220	250	170	180	280	300	19	27
Aug. 6	390	500	280	290	200	220	170	180	280	300	19	25
— 17	370	480	260	270	170	200	170	180	280	300	20	12
— 27	360	450	240	250	170	200	170	180	280	300	20	22 ½
Sep. 14	300	430	230	240	150	180	130	160	280	300	20	18
Oct. 12	300	430	200	220	150	180	130	160	280	300	20	18
Nov. 5	290	400	200	220	150	180	130	160	250	270	20	12
— 12	290	400	200	220	150	180	130	160	250	250	20	12
— 23	290	400	200	210	150	180	130	160	230	250	20	15
Dec. 3	290	400	200	210	150	180	130	160	250	270	20	24
1820. Jan 30	290	400	200	210	150	180	130	160	250	270	20	21
Feb. 1	290	400	210	220	150	180	130	160	250	270	20	21
Mar. 3	290	400	200	220	150	180	130	160	250	270	20	16
— –	300	420	200	220	160	185	130	160	250	270	20	16
— 24	350	480	220	230	160	185	130	160	250	270	20	12
— 28	350	480	240	250	160	185	130	160	260	290	20	3
Apr. 4	330	450	215	230	160	185	130	160	260	290	20	12
May 2	330	450	215	230	140	160	130	160	260	290	20	6
— 9	350	480	215	230	140	160	130	160	260	290	20	7 ½
— 26	315	430	215	220	140	160	130	160	260	290	20	18
June 27	315	460	215	220	130	150	120	130	250	260	20	15
July 14	330	500	210	230	130	150	120	130	250	260	20	15
Aug. 1	330	460	210	230	130	150	120	130	- -	- -	20	27
— 18	270	430	190	210	130	150	120	130	250	260	20	27
Sep. 1	270	430	190	210	130	150	140	150	250	260	21	–
Oct. 3	270	430	190	210	130	150	115	120	250	260	21	6
— 31	270	400	170	190	130	150	115	120	190	210	21	6
Nov. –	270	400	170	190	130	150	115	120	190	210	21	10
Dec. 1	240	380	170	180	130	140	100	110	170	190	21	12
1821. Jan. 2	240	380	170	180	130	140	100	110	170	190	21	9
Feb. –	240	380	170	180	130	140	100	110	170	190	21	9
Mar. –	240	380	170	180	130	140	100	110	170	190	21	15
Apr. 6	240	380	150	180	115	120	100	110	160	180	21	9
June 1	230	350	140	180	100	120	100	110	150	180	21	9
Aug. 28	230	360	160	180	100	120	100	110	150	180	21	12
Sep. 4	280	380	160	180	100	120	100	110	150	180	21	12
— 21	350	480	180	200	100	120	100	110	150	180	21	12
— 25	430	540	230	250	140	150	120	130	150	180	21	24
Oct. 2	430	550	240	260	140	150	130	140	180	200	20	24
— 30	360	480	220	240	140	150	120	130	180	200	20	18
Nov. 20	310	450	190	220	110	120	100	110	130	160	21	9
Dec. 21	280	400	190	220	110	120	100	110	130	160	21	15
1822. Jan. –	280	400	190	220	105	120	100	110	130	160	21	12
Feb. –	280	400	190	220	105	120	100	110	130	160	21	12
Mar. –	280	400	190	220	105	120	100	110	130	160	21	9
Apr. –	270	380	190	220	105	120	100	110	130	160	20	19
May –	270	380	190	220	105	120	100	110	130	160	20	22 ½
June –	270	380	180	200	105	120	105	115	140	170	20	24

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHITE PEASE.		EXCHANGE on London in Guilders and Groshes, per £. sterling.	
1822. July –	f. 270	f. 380	f. 210	f. 230	f. 130	f. 150	f. 120	f. 135	f. 170	f. 190	f. 21	f. 3
Aug. –	270	380	190	210	130	150	120	135	170	190	21	4
Sept. –	270	380	180	200	130	150	120	135	170	190	21	–
Oct. –	270	380	180	200	135	160	120	135	180	200	21	–
Nov. –	270	380	180	200	175	200	130	145	200	220	20	25
Dec. –	270	380	180	200	175	200	140	150	200	220	20	24
1823. Jan. –	270	380	200	220	175	200	140	150	200	220	21	6
Feb. –	270	380	220	250	175	200	140	150	200	220	21	4
Mar. –	270	380	220	250	175	200	140	150	200	220	21	14
Apr. –	270	380	220	250	170	200	140	150	200	220	21	11
May –	270	380	220	250	175	200	140	150	200	220	21	2
June –	270	380	220	250	175	200	140	150	200	220	21	4
July –	250	360	210	230	175	200	110	120	200	220	21	7
Aug. –	250	360	190	210	150	170	90	100	200	220	21	10
Sept. –	250	360	140	170	115	130	90	100	200	220	21	16
Oct. –	220	310	150	175	115	130	90	100	160	180	21	13
Nov. –	220	310	150	175	115	130	90	100	160	180	21	6
Dec. –	220	310	150	175	115	130	90	100	160	180	21	7
1824. Jan. –	200	280	130	150	100	110	80	90	140	160	21	7½
Feb. –	240	320	140	160	105	115	85	100	150	170	21	2
Mar. –	220	300	130	150	90	100	80	90	130	150	20	24
Apr. –	215	295	120	140	95	105	75	85	125	140	20	15
May –	210	290	110	130	90	100	70	80	110	130	20	10
June –	210	290	100	120	85	95	70	80	110	130	20	13
July –	200	280	110	130	80	90	70	80	100	115	20	7½
Aug. –	200	280	90	110	80	90	75	85	100	115	20	9
Sept. –	180	260	90	100	80	90	75	85	100	120	20	16
Oct. –	200	280	90	110	85	95	75	85	110	130	20	16
Nov. –	220	300	100	120	90	110	70	80	115	140	20	6
Dec. –	230	310	105	125	95	110	75	85	120	140	20	3
1825. Jan. –	220	300	110	130	100	120	75	85	120	140	20	1
Feb. –	220	300	110	130	100	110	75	85	120	140	20	6
Mar. –	210	290	110	130	100	110	75	85	130	150	20	7
Apr. –	220	300	100	120	95	105	70	80	130	150	20	–
May –	210	290	90	110	90	100	70	80	130	150	19	21
June –	190	270	85	100	80	90	80	90	120	140	19	26
July –	180	260	80	95	85	95	80	90	125	145	19	24
Aug. –	190	270	90	110	100	115	80	90	130	145	19	26
Sept. –	220	300	115	135	105	120	80	90	130	150	20	–
Oct. –	220	300	120	140	110	125	85	95	160	180	20	9
Nov. –	230	310	140	160	125	140	90	100	200	220	20	12
Dec. –	220	300	150	170	130	145	90	105	215	230	20	15
1826. Jan. –	200	300	150	165	110	120	90	100	200	220	20	21
Feb. –	190	280	140	150	105	115	85	95	195	215	21	–
Mar. –	180	270	125	140	100	110	90	100	175	200	21	1
Apr. –	180	270	120	130	100	110	90	100	145	170	20	21
May –	200	300	120	130	110	120	90	100	145	165	20	15
June –	190	280	110	120	100	110	90	100	150	170	20	20
July –	195	285	115	125	120	130	110	120	160	180	20	23
Aug. –	210	300	140	150	130	145	130	140	230	250	20	23
Sept. –	290	380	200	220	150	160	160	175	340	360	20	23
Oct. –	280	360	210	230	200	210	170	180	360	400	20	22½

British Consulate, Dantzig,
the 26th Nov. 1826.

(signed) *Alex^r Gibsone.*

TABLE SECOND.

EXPORT PRICES OF GRAIN AT DANZIG,

reduced to Sterling Money.

REMARKS.

THE Reduction of Danzig money to sterling has required considerable attention, as the currency of Danzig has been continually losing in intrinsic value, and it was only in 1791 that a course of exchange on London was established in Danzig, the amount of goods sent to Britain having, prior to that period, been drawn for through the medium of Amsterdam or Hamburg, but chiefly the former, particularly in early times. But the reduction could not be made by means of the course of exchange on those places, as the course from them on London could not be obtained. To supply this deficiency the Dutch ducat has been taken as the medium between Danzig and English money, at the relative proportion of pure gold contained in the ducat and in the pound sterling (as $\frac{20}{21}$ parts of a guinea) which is $2_{\frac{1}{10}}\frac{8}{00}\frac{9}{0}$ ducats to one pound sterling; one mark, fine gold, containing, according to Nelkenbrecher's Tables, 31,091 guineas or 68,184 ducats. The Dutch ducat does not appear to have undergone any alteration in its intrinsic value, during the period in question, and it formed, in fact, at first the principle, and afterwards the sole circulating medium of Danzig, for all Polish produce and bills until 1814, when replaced by Prussian currency, the amount of Danzig money in circulation being far too limited for that purpose. The value of the Dutch ducat in Danzig money was variable, partly dependent on the demand, and continued nominally increasing, as Danzig money became more debased, until July 1773, when it was fixed at *f.* 12, at which rate all payments for Polish produce and bills were made, until 1814, as before stated. By taking, therefore, the value of the Dutch ducat (varying from about *f.* 8 to *f.* 12, between 1703 and July 1773, and from thence fixed at *f.* 12) at the current rate in Danzig money, and reckoning $2_{\frac{1}{10}}\frac{8}{00}\frac{9}{0}$ ducats as equal to one pound sterling, a pretty accurate substitute for a course of exchange in Danzig on London is found, until such was established in 1791; and by that the present reduction of the prices has been made. That the intrinsic value of the ducat remained the same, seems to be corroborated by the rate of the exchange on Amsterdam rising much in the same proportion, as the value of the ducat rose, both in Danzig money. With this explanation, and in order that the correctness of the reduction of the prices in Danzig money to sterling may be ascertained, if desired, the prices of the ducat, and the rates of the exchange on Amsterdam, (as the course in that city on London can, no doubt, be ascertained there) until a course on London was established in Danzig, and afterwards the rates of that, all of the same dates as the prices quoted, are given in separate columns along with those of the prices in Danzig money in Table First. All these are from sources deemed correct, and it is fortunate they were obtained, after a considerable time employed in the search.

As these prices in sterling money differ much from those in the Table, Appendix, N° 24, to Mr. Jacob's Report, it is necessary to remark, that he not having these data for making the reduction, has probably done it by the par of the exchange in Danzig on London, in latter times, but which would be incorrect, more particularly for the early part of the period when the intrinsic value of the Danzig money was much greater than afterwards.

The Prices in the present Table do not either altogether correspond with those I sent on a former occasion, from 1791 to 1821 inclusive, probably because I then had only quotations of the highest and of the lowest prices, according to quality in each year, as guides, being only four prices, by which to strike the yearly average, whereas this is now done from several of the intermediate prices also; and the same is the case with respect to the exchanges. The difference, however, is only small, excepting in 1821. From 1822 the average is struck monthly from the prices and exchanges in the Tables I have regularly transmitted, adjusting however the prices by the *exportation* rates.

In making the reduction to English measure, the Last is taken at $10\frac{1}{4}$ Winchester quarters, for the whole period.

For some remarks on the measure, reference may be had to Table Third; and to Table First are annexed some remarks respecting prices, also the periods when the export was prohibited.

British Consulate,
Danzig, 20th November, 1826. (signed) *Alexander Gibsone.*

Table Second—*continued.*

YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.
1703. Jan. 13	12	3	23	11	8	11	11	2	6	8	7	10	5	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	
April 27	12	3	23	11	9	-	10	7	7	10	8	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 20	11	8	22	3	7	10	9	10	7	3	7	7	6	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	19 3
Sept. 29	15	-	26	9	9	6	11	8	8	4	8	8	6	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 8	12	10	31	2	8	4	10	6	7	3	8	4	5	-	5	7	-	-	-	-	
1704. Jan. 14	12	10	31	2	8	8	10	8	7	3	7	10	5	-	5	7	-	-	-	-	
April 23	13	11	28	11	10	-	12	3	7	3	7	10	5	7	6	8	-	-	-	-	
July 22	13	11	28	11	10	-	12	3	6	8	7	3	5	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	20 5
Oct. 25	12	-	27	10	8	4	10	7	7	3	7	10	4	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 31	11	2	23	5	7	10	9	6	6	8	6	11	4	5	4	8	-	-	-	-	
1705. March 20	12	3	22	3	7	10	9	-	6	5	7	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 26	12	3	22	3	7	6	8	6	5	7	6	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 26	13	11	24	6	8	11	10	7	6	5	7	3	5	-	5	7	-	-	-	-	17 9
Nov. 25	12	2	22	3	7	7	9	4	7	3	-	-	4	3	4	5	-	-	-	-	
1706. Jan. 23	11	2	22	3	7	4	9	2	7	3	-	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 19	11	2	21	2	6	11	8	8	6	1	7	3	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 19	11	8	21	8	7	10	10	6	6	1	6	8	4	5	4	8	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 25	11	2	22	3	6	8	9	2	6	1	6	8	4	5	4	8	-	-	-	-	16 5
Oct. 23	10	-	21	2	6	8	8	8	6	1	6	11	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 18	11	2	21	2	7	6	8	8	6	1	6	11	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1707. April 6	11	2	21	2	7	-	8	11	6	8	7	7	6	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 13	12	3	22	3	8	-	9	6	8	4	8	8	7	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	16 7
Oct. 28	10	7	22	3	7	7	8	11	7	7	8	4	4	5	5	4	-	-	-	-	
1708. Feb. 11	12	1	21	11	8	9	9	8	8	3	8	9	6	11	7	5	-	-	-	-	
June 8	11	5	20	9	9	8	10	4	8	2	8	9	5	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	
July 21	12	11	23	-	11	2	12	7	8	6	8	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 22	17	7	25	4	13	5	15	5	8	10	9	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20 2
Nov. 7	19	3	26	5	14	10	16	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 3	21	5	29	8	17	-	19	3	11	-	11	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1709. Jan. 11	22	1	29	10	17	8	19	10	11	-	11	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April 6	23	11	32	3	17	10	19	4	11	8	12	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 8	25	4	36	1	19	2	22	7	13	-	13	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 25	50	9	62	-	27	1	31	7	15	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 12	39	5	67	8	26	6	32	8	15	9	16	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42 9
July 2	33	3	55	4	21	7	27	9	11	8	12	9	7	6	7	9	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 3	35	8	55	8	24	6	27	10	13	4	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 10	50	6	56	1	25	10	28	1	15	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 7	37	2	56	4	29	4	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1710. Feb. 1	36	1	51	10	28	2	29	4	15	9	16	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
March 5	34	11	51	10	27	1	29	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April 19	26	11	44	11	22	5	26	4	16	3	17	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 20	30	2	44	8	24	7	26	10	16	2	16	9	10	7	11	2	-	-	-	-	
June 28	22	3	34	7	16	2	20	7	12	10	14	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
July 29	20	-	34	7	16	8	20	-	12	3	13	4	6	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	33 3
Aug. 13	20	-	33	5	15	7	19	6	11	2	12	3	7	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 20	25	10	40	5	18	6	23	7	12	4	12	11	7	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 22	23	7	33	8	16	1	19	1	11	9	12	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 22	22	3	33	5	15	-	18	4	11	2	11	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1711. Jan. 21	22	-	33	5	17	10	18	4	10	11	11	8	5	7	6	1	-	-	-	-	
April 17	22	10	33	5	15	7	17	10	10	8	11	2	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 25	18	9	29	10	11	-	13	10	7	9	8	3	4	-	4	8	-	-	-	-	
July 11	19	4	29	10	10	6	13	3	7	9	8	3	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	25 9
Sept. 25	18	8	30	9	12	9	14	7	9	4	9	11	5	11	6	7	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 21	17	8	32	-	11	-	13	3	8	10	9	11	5	4	5	6	-	-	-	-	
1712. Feb. 13	15	5	28	8	11	8	13	3	9	5	10	5	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April 20	16	6	27	6	10	5	12	1	9	5	9	11	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 24	16	5	26	3	8	6	10	4	8	3	8	9	5	3	5	6	-	-	-	-	
June 22	16	4	26	2	9	3	10	11	8	9	8	11	5	8	5	10	-	-	-	-	
July 20	16	4	26	1	10	-	11	9	8	11	9	3	6	4	6	6	-	-	-	-	22 10
Sept. 6	19	8	29	5	11	5	13	4	9	3	9	10	5	5	5	8	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 18	17	5	30	-	11	3	12	5	8	9	9	3	5	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 23	19	8	30	6	9	10	12	-	8	6	9	2	5	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 28	18	3	29	10	10	2	12	2	8	3	8	10	5	6	5	9	-	-	-	-	

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Table Second—*continued.*

YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1713. Feb. 24	18	10	31	–	10	8	12	9	8	10	–	–	5	7	5	9	–	–	–	–		
May 24	16	7	27	7	11	–	13	–	7	9	7	11	6	5	6	8	–	–	–	–		
July 22	15	7	28	11	11	2	12	10	–	–	–	–	6	5	6	8	–	–	–	–		
Aug. 16	18	–	31	5	13	6	15	9	7	10	8	5	6	6	6	9	–	–	–	–	25	8
Sept. 15	20	–	32	3	14	3	16	8	9	6	10	–	7	7	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 22	28	2	39	5	16	8	20	10	11	10	–	–	6	9	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1714. Jan. 17	32	1	40	10	19	3	22	2	12	3	13	5	7	8	–	–	–	–	–	–		
March 10	28	7	39	8	16	4	19	3	11	8	15	2	7	–	7	8	–	–	–	–		
April 24	29	2	42	1	18	8	21	7	12	10	13	5	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
June 9	32	8	46	8	21	–	23	4	12	3	13	5	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
July 27	31	3	46	8	19	10	22	9	11	8	12	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	37	8
Sept. 15	30	1	43	11	16	9	20	10	12	9	13	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 17	33	6	49	8	22	7	24	10	16	9	17	4	8	8	9	3	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 14	33	1	45	8	20	–	22	10	20	–	20	7	13	8	14	3	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 29	28	7	43	5	21	8	22	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1715. March 16	30	1	44	6	21	5	22	7	19	1	20	3	9	10	10	5	–	–	–	–		
June 8	–	–	–	–	16	4	18	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
July 24	–	–	–	–	16	4	18	8	–	–	–	–	8	2	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Aug. 16	–	–	–	–	14	5	15	–	15	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	27	7
Sept. 25	–	–	–	–	10	5	11	7	–	–	–	–	4	5	4	8	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 26	18	6	30	1	11	–	13	4	8	8	9	–	5	7	5	9	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 24	13	8	28	7	12	4	14	3	7	5	–	–	5	2	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1716. March 21	17	11	30	2	12	10	15	1	8	9	8	11	5	4	5	7	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 12	16	9	27	11	10	7	14	–	7	7	–	–	5	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	23	2
1717. Jan. 16	15	7	28	11	10	11	12	6	8	6	8	11	4	5	4	8	–	–	–	–		
May 5	15	–	26	9	9	10	11	6	7	7	7	10	4	11	5	4	–	–	–	–		
July 14	16	6	28	5	10	11	12	10	8	8	–	–	5	4	5	7	–	–	–	–	22	1
Oct. 9	16	7	28	8	12	2	14	4	7	11	–	–	5	4	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1718. Jan. 12	17	1	28	8	13	7	15	–	8	10	–	–	4	8	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Feb. 16	20	5	33	1	13	11	15	5	8	10	9	5	5	6	–	–	–	–	–	–		
April 23	16	7	30	11	12	8	13	10	8	10	–	–	6	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	22	2
July 21	14	4	27	7	10	10	12	–	8	3	–	–	6	1	6	8	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 28	14	4	28	7	12	1	13	2	8	3	–	–	5	6	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1719. March 18	13	9	27	6	11	–	12	8	8	3	8	4	4	10	5	3	–	–	–	–		
July 1	15	7	28	11	14	–	15	–	8	–	8	4	5	9	6	1	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 20	16	8	28	10	15	4	16	1	12	5	12	9	6	8	7	–	–	–	–	–	23	6
Oct. 13	20	8	31	4	17	1	18	5	16	9	–	–	8	9	8	11	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 18	20	7	29	8	17	2	18	3	13	2	13	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 30	20	3	28	2	16	4	17	6	14	1	14	8	7	11	8	5	–	–	–	–		
1720. March 16	17	4	26	10	16	6	17	4	14	–	14	6	7	7	7	10	–	–	–	–		
May 15	15	9	25	10	13	3	15	–	14	–	14	4	8	5	9	–	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 6	15	8	21	3	13	2	14	4	10	7	–	–	7	3	–	–	–	–	–	–	19	10
Nov. 15	15	–	21	2	11	2	13	11	8	6	–	–	5	1	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1721. March 26	13	8	20	1	11	9	13	5	8	6	8	11	5	11	6	2	–	–	–	–		
April 18	13	3	20	2	9	6	11	9	8	1	8	6	6	2	6	9	–	–	–	–		
June 18	12	9	19	11	9	5	11	1	8	–	8	4	5	7	–	–	–	–	–	–	16	6
Oct. 14	13	–	20	4	8	10	9	11	7	11	8	3	5	6	6	1	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 31	12	1	19	9	8	10	10	5	7	8	8	3	5	3	5	9	–	–	–	–		
1722. March 14	13	10	21	–	8	5	10	10	6	1	6	8	4	5	4	8	–	–	–	–		
May 13	12	8	20	11	7	6	9	11	6	7	6	10	4	5	4	7	–	–	–	–		
June 27	11	–	19	9	6	11	7	8	6	7	6	10	4	2	4	7	–	–	–	–		
Aug. 22	14	4	22	–	7	8	9	11	6	7	–	–	4	2	4	5	–	–	–	–	16	5
Oct. 3	12	8	17	7	6	10	8	3	5	6	–	–	3	1	3	4	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 25	12	1	19	9	7	4	9	11	5	6	5	11	3	1	3	4	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 23	12	1	19	9	7	2	8	10	5	9	6	1	3	4	–	–	–	–	–	–		
1723. March 13	15	6	21	1	8	–	9	5	5	7	6	1	3	4	3	6	–	–	–	–		
June 12	15	1	22	4	8	9	11	2	6	2	6	8	4	3	4	6	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 22	15	3	22	7	9	4	11	3	6	9	7	1	5	8	–	–	–	–	–	–	18	11
Oct. 20	15	2	22	5	8	9	10	8	7	1	7	10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 20	15	7	22	3	10	3	12	3	7	4	7	10	4	11	5	4	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 24	15	6	24	5	11	9	13	4	8	1	8	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		

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	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.
1724. Feb. 12	15	6	24	5	10	10	13	4	8	–	8	4	6	4	6	8	-	-	-	-	
March 18	15	6	23	3	10	5	12	10	7	6	7	9	6	3	6	5	-	-	-	-	
May 13	14	4	19	10	7	11	9	11	7	1	7	3	5	9	6	2	-	-	-	-	18 11
July 19	15	6	22	2	9	4	12	–	7	2	9	9	6	5	6	10	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 19	15	8	23	6	11	2	14	–	8	1	8	11	6	2	6	8	-	-	-	-	
1725. Sept. —	16	2	26	10	13	5	15	1	8	5	8	11	6	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 15	17	4	27	11	15	1	16	9	11	10	12	1	7	7	8	1	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 15	23	5	27	10	15	11	18	4	12	3	12	10	7	10	8	4	-	-	-	-	23 10
Dec. 31	22	3	28	11	15	7	18	11	12	3	13	4	7	3	8	–	-	-	-	-	
1726. Feb. 10	21	2	28	11	14	6	16	8	12	3	12	10	7	3	7	10	-	-	-	-	
March 14	18	10	26	7	13	4	15	6	12	–	12	5	7	2	7	9	-	-	-	-	
April 28	16	8	24	6	14	–	16	3	9	6	10	7	6	8	7	10	-	-	-	-	
May 30	15	6	24	5	11	3	13	4	8	10	10	6	6	8	7	2	-	-	-	-	
June 29	19	5	32	2	13	1	14	5	9	5	10	6	6	8	7	2	-	-	-	-	
July 24	19	5	32	2	12	–	13	6	10	–	12	2	6	8	8	4	-	-	-	-	24 3
Aug. 30	18	10	29	11	11	9	15	1	10	6	11	1	6	1	7	9	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 18	19	10	30	11	14	2	17	1	-	-	-	-	6	8	7	9	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 19	21	5	33	–	14	9	17	7	14	4	15	11	7	2	7	8	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 31	19	8	31	9	14	5	17	6	14	–	15	4	6	11	7	5	-	-	-	-	
1727. March 26	18	8	30	3	14	11	17	2	15	11	-	-	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 16	19	8	30	1	15	4	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 30	18	8	30	3	14	10	16	9	12	1	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24 –
Dec. 31	17	–	27	6	13	9	16	1	12	4	13	2	6	7	7	8	-	-	-	-	
1728. Feb. 13	15	6	26	7	13	4	15	6	13	4	-	-	6	8	7	9	-	-	-	-	
April 14	15	6	22	2	12	–	13	9	10	2	10	8	6	8	7	4	-	-	-	-	
June 30	16	7	26	6	12	7	15	–	-	-	-	-	6	8	7	2	-	-	-	-	20 1
Sept. 15	15	5	23	9	10	7	13	–	7	6	8	5	5	6	6	1	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 31	16	1	22	9	10	8	12	9	8	–	8	10	6	5	6	8	-	-	-	-	
1729. March 28	16	2	22	3	10	6	12	7	7	10	8	11	6	1	6	8	-	-	-	-	
April 30	15	7	23	5	8	11	11	6	7	7	8	11	6	8	7	10	-	-	-	-	
May 27	16	1	24	5	10	8	13	4	7	9	8	10	7	2	7	9	-	-	-	-	19 7
June 29	15	6	24	5	9	9	12	9	8	4	9	4	8	10	9	5	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 23	15	7	24	6	8	11	12	11	7	7	8	–	7	3	7	7	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 22	14	6	22	3	7	7	11	2	7	1	7	3	6	8	7	3	-	-	-	-	
1730. Feb. 15	14	5	22	2	7	9	10	8	7	2	8	4	6	8	7	2	-	-	-	-	
March 28	13	10	21	–	7	2	9	11	7	2	7	9	6	8	7	2	-	-	-	-	
July 29	12	1	19	8	7	–	8	4	4	11	6	–	4	5	5	6	-	-	-	-	16 11
Oct. 28	12	1	20	10	6	4	9	10	6	–	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 30	12	1	20	10	6	4	9	4	6	7	7	8	4	7	6	–	-	-	-	-	
1731. March 23	12	1	21	11	6	7	9	10	5	6	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 8	12	1	24	1	10	5	13	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 31	13	1	21	10	8	11	12	3	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	17 7
Nov. 15	12	7	23	–	9	10	13	2	6	7	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1732. March 8	12	7	23	–	9	8	12	1	7	1	8	3	5	6	7	1	-	-	-	-	
April 30	12	1	21	11	8	–	9	10	6	7	7	5	5	6	5	10	-	-	-	-	
July 16	11	5	19	8	7	–	9	3	6	7	7	1	4	7	5	4	-	-	-	-	16 8
Sept. 19	12	–	20	9	7	1	9	10	6	7	7	1	3	3	4	11	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 30	12	1	20	11	7	1	9	11	6	1	6	7	4	5	4	7	-	-	-	-	
1733. March 21	11	–	19	10	6	10	9	5	6	1	6	8	4	–	5	6	-	-	-	-	
June 5	11	–	21	–	7	2	9	9	6	–	6	8	4	2	4	8	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 28	11	6	21	11	8	3	10	11	6	4	6	7	4	7	5	3	-	-	-	-	16 6
Nov. 13	12	8	23	2	9	5	11	7	7	9	7	11	5	–	5	4	-	-	-	-	
1734. Jan. 13	12	2	23	2	9	9	12	4	7	6	7	11	5	4	5	6	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 19	13	–	23	8	11	–	13	2	7	6	7	11	6	1	6	7	-	-	-	-	
March 20	13	1	24	–	11	3	13	8	7	10	8	6	5	10	6	7	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 7	13	10	24	5	11	8	13	6	7	9	8	4	6	1	7	2	-	-	-	-	19 9
Sept. 15	13	7	26	9	12	–	14	6	8	4	8	8	6	11	7	4	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 23	15	8	26	10	11	2	13	10	8	5	8	11	7	3	7	10	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 24	16	8	27	3	11	10	14	3	10	7	11	2	7	7	8	4	-	-	-	-	

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	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1735. April 1	15	6	25	6	11	1	13	4	7	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
June 25	14	9	24	1	9	4	10	11	7	8	7	11	5	8	6	7	-	-	-	-	20	1
Aug. 19	14	9	24	-	10	4	13	1	7	5	7	10	5	10	6	7	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 12	15	10	26	3	11	2	13	7	10	11	11	10	7	8	8	3	-	-	-	-		
1736. Feb. 8	15	11	25	4	11	6	12	4	10	5	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
May 26	14	1	22	10	11	1	12	10	11	5	12	6	8	8	9	3	-	-	-	-		
July 3	15	2	24	11	12	3	13	8	11	11	13	-	6	6	8	1	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 18	17	5	29	4	14	1	15	6	12	6	13	-	8	6	9	3	-	-	-	-	22	8
Sept. 21	19	7	29	4	17	11	19	7	12	6	14	1	7	7	8	2	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 10	22	11	29	5	20	9	22	11	14	2	15	10	7	5	8	2	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 21	22	4	28	11	19	5	21	3	17	3	18	-	9	10	10	11	-	-	-	-		
1737. Feb. 23	21	3	28	11	20	6	22	6	16	4	17	5	10	11	12	8	-	-	-	-		
March 23	20	8	28	3	19	-	20	2	15	2	17	5	8	8	9	4	-	-	-	-		
May 15	19	7	28	3	17	5	19	7	11	4	13	7	6	6	8	8	-	-	-	-		
June 25	19	7	28	3	16	11	18	6	12	6	13	4	6	6	8	6	-	-	-	-		
July 19	18	6	27	2	15	2	16	10	13	-	14	1	7	1	8	8	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 23	17	4	27	-	13	-	14	1	9	2	10	6	5	5	7	7	-	-	-	-	24	-
Sept. 28	19	6	29	2	15	2	16	5	9	2	10	3	6	8	8	8	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 23	19	7	29	4	15	2	17	5	9	9	10	8	7	2	8	6	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 25	19	7	29	4	18	6	21	-	9	9	11	11	6	6	8	2	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 31	19	8	29	5	17	8	20	9	9	10	12	-	6	9	8	2	-	-	-	-		
1738. Feb. 12	17	5	27	3	13	8	16	11	8	9	10	4	6	4	7	1	-	-	-	-		
March 13	16	11	26	2	13	1	15	10	9	3	10	11	6	4	7	1	-	-	-	-		
April 12	16	4	26	1	11	9	14	7	7	1	8	8	4	7	5	10	-	-	-	-		
May 23	16	4	27	3	11	3	13	4	7	8	9	3	5	5	6	7	-	-	-	-		
June 18	16	4	27	3	10	8	12	5	7	5	8	9	5	5	6	1	-	-	-	-		
July 15	16	4	26	2	10	4	12	3	6	7	7	8	4	11	5	8	-	-	-	-	21	1
Aug. 11	16	4	26	2	10	4	12	3	7	1	8	2	4	11	5	10	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 12	16	4	26	2	10	4	12	3	7	8	8	9	4	11	5	10	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 14	15	3	26	2	10	6	13	1	7	2	8	6	4	4	5	5	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 29	13	8	25	1	9	10	12	-	7	8	8	9	4	4	5	5	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 24	13	2	24	9	10	1	12	1	7	8	8	10	4	5	6	1	-	-	-	-		
1739. Jan. 20	12	7	24	1	9	8	11	7	7	8	8	9	4	11	6	-	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 24	12	7	23	6	9	10	11	10	7	8	8	9	4	5	5	6	-	-	-	-		
April 14	11	5	22	11	8	3	10	4	6	4	6	7	4	2	4	11	-	-	-	-		
May 26	12	2	23	11	9	6	11	11	7	1	7	7	4	4	5	3	-	-	-	-		
July 14	15	1	23	8	9	11	13	-	7	8	8	3	4	11	5	9	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 11	15	5	24	2	10	4	13	2	8	-	8	10	5	11	6	7	-	-	-	-	19	5
Sept. 15	16	5	24	8	11	2	13	4	8	3	9	4	5	6	6	7	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 12	16	5	24	1	10	9	12	11	9	4	10	11	6	7	6	11	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 13	18	2	26	5	14	4	17	-	11	7	12	8	6	7	7	8	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 22	17	-	25	4	12	4	14	9	11	-	12	1	7	2	7	11	-	-	-	-		
1740. Feb. 3	17	7	26	5	13	-	14	11	11	-	11	7	6	7	7	3	-	-	-	-		
March 8	18	2	27	6	14	4	16	6	11	7	12	8	6	11	7	8	-	-	-	-		
April 9	17	6	28	6	12	3	14	3	10	11	11	5	6	11	7	8	-	-	-	-		
May 17	19	8	33	11	14	-	15	10	12	1	12	7	6	7	7	8	-	-	-	-		
June 24	28	7	38	6	22	-	23	1	15	5	16	6	10	5	11	7	-	-	-	-		
July 5	28	4	34	11	21	10	22	11	15	3	16	4	9	3	10	4	-	-	-	-	33	1
Aug. 30	29	7	34	6	19	2	21	4	12	1	14	3	7	8	8	9	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 20	33	-	47	3	19	3	22	6	12	1	13	9	7	2	8	3	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 18	39	8	49	8	21	6	23	9	-	-	-	-	8	3	9	5	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 22	39	8	46	11	23	9	25	5	16	7	18	9	9	5	10	6	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 30	40	10	47	6	24	3	27	7	15	5	17	8	9	11	11	-	-	-	-	-		
1741. Jan. 13	41	11	49	8	28	2	29	10	17	8	19	10	10	6	11	-	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 25	41	9	48	11	28	-	29	8	18	8	19	9	11	7	12	8	-	-	-	-		
March 21	34	3	47	6	25	11	28	2	19	10	22	1	11	7	13	3	-	-	-	-		
April 15	31	4	48	4	24	2	26	5	17	-	18	2	12	1	13	2	-	-	-	-		
May 17	26	3	43	9	18	1	20	10	16	5	17	-	10	11	12	7	-	-	-	-		
June 16	23	6	35	-	18	1	20	7	15	4	17	6	12	7	14	3	-	-	-	-		
July 15	26	3	38	4	19	6	23	-	16	5	19	2	14	3	15	4	-	-	-	-	35	3
Aug. 19	26	3	38	4	17	6	21	4	12	1	15	4	11	6	13	2	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 15	30	9	40	8	19	9	22	-	13	2	15	5	9	11	11	-	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 20	28	6	35	-	18	1	21	4	12	7	14	3	8	3	9	4	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 18	20	10	35	-	17	4	20	10	12	1	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 22	18	6	34	11	16	7	20	6	12	-	13	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

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	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.
1742. Jan. 17	17	6	32	10	16	5	20	10	10	5	11	6	7	8	8	3	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 23	17	5	31	8	15	1	18	4	10	11	13	1	7	9	8	9	-	-	-	-	
March 24	17	6	31	9	15	9	18	7	10	11	12	7	7	1	8	3	-	-	-	-	
April 18	17	5	30	5	14	8	16	4	10	4	11	11	6	6	7	7	-	-	-	-	
May 17	16	3	26	–	13	–	14	7	9	6	10	10	6	6	8	1	-	-	-	-	
June 13	19	7	25	–	13	7	15	2	9	9	11	5	6	6	8	2	-	-	-	-	22 2
July 12	19	8	25	1	13	9	15	3	10	8	11	5	6	7	7	1	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 15	19	7	25	–	13	–	15	–	8	8	9	9	6	–	6	6	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 22	18	6	22	11	10	11	13	5	7	8	8	9	5	5	6	–	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 17	17	5	22	11	10	8	12	8	7	8	8	9	5	4	5	5	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 17	14	2	25	1	10	8	13	1	7	8	8	9	5	5	6	–	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 19	13	8	24	–	9	10	12	7	7	10	8	2	4	4	4	11	-	-	-	-	
1743. Feb. 2	15	4	21	11	10	9	13	7	7	8	8	3	4	11	5	6	-	-	-	-	
March 27	14	9	21	10	10	4	12	8	8	9	8	11	5	5	5	8	-	-	-	-	
May 29	14	2	24	–	9	10	11	7	8	2	8	6	4	7	5	4	-	-	-	-	
June 25	15	3	24	–	10	4	12	–	7	10	8	6	4	7	5	–	-	-	-	-	
July 20	14	2	24	–	9	10	12	–	7	5	8	1	4	4	4	10	-	-	-	-	18 2
Aug. 20	14	3	24	1	9	4	11	5	7	1	8	1	4	5	4	10	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 27	13	2	19	8	8	6	10	5	6	4	7	1	4	5	4	7	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 23	13	9	19	9	8	7	10	5	7	8	7	11	4	5	4	7	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 23	13	2	19	9	8	10	9	8	6	10	7	2	4	5	4	7	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 27	13	2	22	–	9	–	9	11	6	11	7	3	4	5	4	7	-	-	-	-	
1744. Jan. 25	13	9	20	11	9	–	9	11	6	10	7	1	4	5	4	7	-	-	-	-	
March 28	14	3	20	10	9	5	10	5	7	3	7	8	5	6	5	10	-	-	-	-	
April 22	14	2	21	10	8	11	9	10	7	1	7	8	5	–	5	4	-	-	-	-	
May 13	14	1	21	9	8	11	10	1	6	10	7	2	5	3	5	5	-	-	-	-	
June 16	15	3	21	10	8	6	9	10	6	7	7	1	4	11	5	5	-	-	-	-	18 5
July 21	15	3	21	10	8	6	10	–	5	10	6	4	5	5	6	2	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 22	15	3	21	10	9	1	10	4	7	1	7	8	5	5	6	1	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 19	16	5	21	11	9	10	11	5	8	9	9	4	7	8	8	3	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 24	16	5	21	4	9	8	9	10	7	8	8	9	6	–	7	1	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 21	16	5	20	10	9	5	10	6	7	8	8	9	6	–	7	1	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 23	16	5	21	11	10	1	11	3	8	3	9	4	6	4	7	–	-	-	-	-	
1745. Feb. 24	15	10	22	5	10	5	11	7	8	9	9	1	7	3	7	11	-	-	-	-	
April 24	16	4	22	4	9	10	10	11	8	6	9	2	7	5	7	10	-	-	-	-	
June 23	18	–	24	–	9	10	12	–	8	6	8	9	8	3	8	6	-	-	-	-	
July 23	18	6	25	1	11	9	13	1	8	6	8	9	8	1	8	3	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 24	18	6	21	10	12	5	14	5	8	6	8	9	8	6	8	9	-	-	-	-	22 2
Oct. 16	20	2	25	1	14	9	16	4	9	10	10	11	9	10	10	11	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 19	22	11	30	6	18	6	21	3	12	–	14	2	10	4	12	–	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 29	22	10	30	5	17	5	19	7	12	6	13	7	9	9	11	11	-	-	-	-	
1746. Jan. 21	20	8	28	3	15	5	17	11	12	2	13	–	9	9	11	11	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 23	20	9	28	4	15	6	17	3	12	–	13	1	9	10	12	–	-	-	-	-	
April 27	22	4	29	5	16	7	18	–	12	3	13	1	9	10	12	–	-	-	-	-	
June 22	21	9	28	3	15	2	16	6	12	2	13	–	7	1	8	8	-	-	-	-	
July 29	20	9	27	3	14	2	15	6	13	8	-	-	6	–	7	1	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 19	20	9	27	3	13	9	14	10	-	-	-	-	7	1	8	2	-	-	-	-	25 1
Sept. 21	19	8	26	9	13	4	14	9	12	–	12	7	7	1	8	9	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 22	22	11	29	5	16	11	18	6	14	9	15	3	8	2	10	4	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 30	24	–	30	–	18	–	19	1	15	3	16	4	9	3	10	11	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 31	23	5	29	5	17	5	18	6	15	3	16	4	8	9	9	10	-	-	-	-	
1747. Jan. 21	22	11	28	4	17	3	18	4	15	3	15	10	8	2	9	3	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 22	24	–	31	1	18	3	19	8	15	3	15	10	8	2	9	3	-	-	-	-	
March 22	23	5	31	1	18	–	19	2	14	9	15	10	8	2	9	3	-	-	-	-	
April 26	21	10	30	–	15	10	17	10	13	1	14	2	7	8	8	9	-	-	-	-	
May 20	20	9	27	10	15	7	17	3	12	–	13	8	8	2	9	3	-	-	-	-	
June 24	20	1	27	8	16	4	18	6	10	10	11	11	7	7	8	8	-	-	-	-	24 2
July 26	20	1	27	8	16	1	18	6	10	–	11	11	8	2	8	8	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 16	19	8	27	3	14	11	16	11	8	2	8	9	7	3	8	2	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 27	19	1	26	9	14	9	16	4	7	8	8	2	6	7	7	1	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 20	16	4	26	2	13	8	15	3	8	6	8	11	5	5	6	1	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 29	17	7	26	5	14	1	15	11	9	–	9	5	5	11	6	4	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 20	17	7	26	5	15	2	16	6	9	4	9	11	5	11	6	4	-	-	-	-	

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1748. Jan. 13	18	2	26	5	15	5	17	–	9	4	9	11	5	11	6	4	–	–	–	–		
March 2	17	6	25	9	13	8	15	4	8	9	9	4	6	2	6	4	–	–	–	–		
April 17	17	5	24	6	13	8	15	3	9	3	9	10	6	1	6	7	–	–	–	–		
May 15	14	1	22	10	11	9	13	3	8	8	9	3	6	4	6	6	–	–	–	–		
June 19	14	2	21	10	10	11	12	8	8	2	8	9	6	–	6	7	–	–	–	–		
July 24	15	3	22	4	12	–	13	1	9	10	10	4	8	6	9	3	–	–	–	–	21	1
Aug. 31	16	4	22	11	13	1	13	9	10	11	11	5	7	10	8	6	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 21	18	7	24	1	13	10	14	11	12	7	13	2	9	5	9	8	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 30	20	10	27	4	14	5	15	4	13	2	13	6	9	1	9	5	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 12	19	3	26	5	12	9	14	1	11	–	11	8	8	10	9	3	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 21	20	4	27	6	13	10	15	2	13	–	13	2	8	7	9	–	–	–	–	–		
1749. Jan. 21	19	9	26	11	13	10	15	2	12	1	12	8	8	7	9	–	–	–	–	–		
Feb. 25	19	3	26	5	13	10	14	11	12	4	12	9	8	7	9	3	–	–	–	–		
March 22	18	7	26	3	13	7	14	3	12	4	12	8	9	2	9	5	–	–	–	–		
April 23	18	1	25	9	12	8	13	4	10	11	11	6	8	6	8	9	–	–	–	–		
May 14	17	6	23	6	10	5	11	6	10	1	10	11	8	3	8	5	–	–	–	–		
June 11	17	6	23	6	11	2	12	1	9	4	9	10	7	8	8	3	–	–	–	–		
July 2	20	10	25	9	12	11	13	8	10	5	11	6	7	8	8	–	–	–	–	–	22	8
Aug. 6	15	11	22	6	12	8	13	9	9	4	10	5	8	3	8	10	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 13	25	5	29	3	13	6	14	4	8	3	8	10	6	8	6	11	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 15	21	2	27	10	12	–	12	8	8	4	8	11	5	7	6	3	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 22	20	6	26	7	12	2	12	9	8	4	8	10	5	7	6	3	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 20	19	4	25	11	12	2	12	8	7	11	8	5	5	6	6	–	–	–	–	–		
1750. Jan. 14	18	8	25	10	12	1	12	8	8	3	8	10	5	6	5	11	–	–	–	–		
Feb. 21	17	7	25	4	11	6	12	–	7	2	8	3	5	11	6	4	–	–	–	–		
March 21	16	6	24	9	10	5	11	–	7	2	7	6	5	6	5	9	–	–	–	–		
April 1	16	7	24	10	10	1	10	7	7	2	7	6	5	6	5	9	–	–	–	–		
May 16	18	1	24	8	10	5	10	11	7	1	8	3	5	6	5	8	–	–	–	–		
June 13	19	2	25	3	10	7	11	6	7	1	8	3	5	6	5	8	–	–	–	–		
July 22	18	6	24	5	10	4	10	10	7	1	7	7	5	5	5	8	–	–	–	–	20	8
Aug. 22	17	5	23	5	9	3	10	–	6	10	7	5	5	5	5	8	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 19	17	6	23	2	9	–	9	8	6	11	7	5	5	3	5	6	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 24	16	5	22	5	8	6	9	2	6	9	7	5	5	3	5	6	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 21	15	10	22	4	8	6	8	11	6	9	7	5	5	3	5	5	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 21	15	9	22	3	8	6	8	11	6	9	7	5	4	9	5	3	–	–	–	–		
1751. Jan. 13	15	10	21	10	8	9	9	5	6	7	7	5	4	11	5	–	–	–	–	–		
Feb. 17	15	3	21	10	8	6	9	3	7	–	7	5	4	7	5	–	–	–	–	–		
March 27	15	2	21	2	8	4	8	10	7	2	7	5	5	–	5	5	–	–	–	–		
April 17	15	2	20	7	8	1	8	10	7	2	7	4	5	5	5	10	–	–	–	–		
May 26	16	3	22	9	9	6	10	3	7	7	7	9	5	5	5	7	–	–	–	–		
July 17	16	11	22	2	10	7	11	5	8	5	9	–	6	7	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Aug. 7	15	4	21	8	9	11	11	–	8	8	8	10	6	9	7	–	–	–	–	–	20	7
Sept. 4	18	8	23	6	12	6	13	2	8	7	8	9	6	8	6	10	–	–	–	–		
— 24	21	–	25	10	12	5	13	2	9	1	9	2	6	11	7	1	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 23	21	6	25	9	12	4	13	5	8	7	9	–	7	4	7	6	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 13	21	5	25	8	12	4	13	3	10	6	10	8	7	3	7	8	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 15	22	6	26	3	12	11	13	11	11	3	11	10	7	6	7	9	–	–	–	–		
1752. Jan. 5	21	2	26	10	13	1	13	9	10	1	10	6	7	6	8	1	–	–	–	–		
— 17	17	1	26	9	11	9	12	5	10	2	10	8	6	5	8	–	–	–	–	–		
Feb. 9	20	10	25	4	13	4	14	4	9	11	10	4	7	2	7	5	–	–	–	–		
March 11	22	2	26	5	12	8	13	6	10	2	10	4	7	2	7	5	–	–	–	–		
April 19	19	1	23	4	10	5	11	10	8	8	9	–	7	–	7	5	–	–	–	–		
May 27	22	1	25	3	12	1	13	8	9	1	9	6	7	4	7	7	–	–	–	–		
June 28	19	5	24	7	11	9	13	–	7	10	8	7	6	1	6	6	–	–	–	–		
July 1	18	10	24	1	11	6	12	9	7	10	8	7	6	1	6	6	–	–	–	–	22	3
Aug. 19	18	6	25	5	11	10	13	4	7	11	8	8	5	11	6	7	–	–	–	–		
Sept. 9	19	1	26	–	12	6	13	4	7	11	8	8	5	10	6	4	–	–	–	–		
Oct. 11	18	11	25	9	11	9	12	7	8	5	9	6	6	4	7	4	–	–	–	–		
Nov. 8	17	10	25	2	11	–	12	1	8	11	11	–	7	2	7	10	–	–	–	–		
— 11	17	3	24	6	11	1	12	–	9	5	10	11	7	2	7	10	–	–	–	–		
Dec. 30	16	7	23	10	11	2	11	11	9	4	9	11	6	–	7	7	–	–	–	–		

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1753. Jan. 31	17	2	24	5	11	5	12	1	9	4	10	5	6	7	7	10	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 17	17	1	24	2	11	7	12	5	9	10	10	10	7	3	8	1	-	-	-	-		
March 14	17	8	25	-	11	-	12	3	10	2	10	11	7	7	7	11	-	-	-	-		
April 21	17	1	23	10	9	4	11	7	8	10	9	10	7	1	7	5	-	-	-	-		
May 26	18	6	23	8	9	7	11	10	9	3	10	1	7	2	8	-	-	-	-	-		
June 30	20	8	26	10	10	4	12	2	9	10	10	10	8	3	9	3	-	-	-	-	21	6
July 21	20	8	26	4	10	1	12	2	9	10	10	10	8	9	9	3	-	-	-	-		
August 1	19	7	25	9	9	11	11	9	10	4	11	4	8	9	9	3	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 8	18	-	24	2	10	9	11	6	9	9	10	3	8	3	9	3	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 13	19	-	24	8	10	9	11	11	9	3	10	3	6	2	7	2	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 17	16	8	24	3	8	11	10	11	9	1	9	7	6	1	6	7	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 21	16	2	23	9	9	1	10	11	9	1	9	7	6	1	6	7	-	-	-	-		
1754. Jan. 31	16	8	23	8	9	6	11	4	9	1	9	7	6	1	6	7	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 16	16	2	23	8	9	3	11	1	9	1	9	7	6	1	6	7	-	-	-	-		
March 30	16	5	23	11	9	9	11	2	9	-	9	6	6	-	6	6	-	-	-	-		
April 3	17	-	24	-	10	-	12	-	9	-	9	6	6	-	6	6	-	-	-	-		
May 11	15	4	20	9	8	4	10	5	8	10	9	5	5	11	6	5	-	-	-	-		
June 26	15	9	21	10	9	11	11	5	9	2	9	8	6	11	7	7	-	-	-	-	19	1
July 31	15	9	21	10	10	2	11	8	8	8	9	2	6	7	7	1	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 7	15	10	22	-	10	5	11	11	8	8	9	3	6	8	7	2	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 21	15	6	21	9	9	10	11	7	8	10	9	4	6	9	7	3	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 19	15	8	21	11	10	5	12	-	8	10	9	5	6	3	6	6	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 20	15	7	21	4	11	5	12	8	8	10	9	4	6	9	7	3	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 21	15	4	21	-	11	3	12	6	8	8	9	3	6	2	6	8	-	-	-	-		
1755. Jan. 15	15	4	21	5	11	9	12	9	8	2	9	2	6	4	6	8	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 15	15	4	21	6	11	11	12	11	8	2	8	8	6	2	6	8	-	-	-	-		
March 8	16	5	22	-	12	4	13	10	9	3	9	9	6	2	6	8	-	-	-	-		
April 12	14	2	20	9	11	4	12	4	8	1	9	1	6	1	6	7	-	-	-	-		
May 10	13	7	20	7	10	7	11	10	8	-	9	-	6	-	6	6	-	-	-	-		
June 18	13	9	20	10	10	9	12	5	8	2	9	2	6	7	7	4	-	-	-	-		
July 12	14	11	20	8	10	4	11	6	8	3	9	3	6	2	6	8	-	-	-	-	18	4
Aug. 9	13	11	21	8	11	6	12	11	8	3	9	3	6	8	7	3	-	-	-	-		
— 20	14	11	22	2	12	2	13	5	9	3	9	10	7	3	7	9	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 13	16	-	22	2	12	4	13	1	9	10	10	1	8	3	8	9	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 4	15	11	23	8	13	4	14	11	-	-	-	-	8	-	8	9	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 12	15	4	23	5	12	10	14	3	10	2	11	3	8	2	8	8	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 20	14	8	22	3	13	4	14	4	10	1	11	2	9	1	9	7	-	-	-	-		
1756. Jan. 14	14	7	22	1	13	7	14	7	11	7	12	1	9	-	9	6	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 18	15	-	22	-	14	-	15	-	11	6	12	-	9	-	9	6	-	-	-	-		
March 20	14	6	22	-	13	10	14	6	11	6	12	-	8	6	9	-	-	-	-	-		
April 14	14	3	22	1	13	6	14	1	11	7	12	1	8	6	9	-	-	-	-	-		
May 26	15	7	23	1	15	7	16	7	11	7	12	1	8	6	9	7	-	-	-	-		
June 16	16	5	25	2	18	-	18	11	13	7	14	6	9	4	10	8	-	-	-	-	23	1
July 14	17	1	25	1	18	1	18	8	14	7	15	7	11	7	12	1	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 18	16	7	24	7	15	6	16	7	12	1	13	1	11	1	12	1	-	-	-	-		
Sep. 15	17	6	25	-	19	6	20	6	16	-	17	-	10	-	11	-	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 16	27	11	39	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 17	26	10	35	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 29	31	9	38	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
1757. Jan. 15	32	9	38	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 12	30	8	37	7	28	2	28	8	17	4	18	4	12	4	13	4	-	-	-	-		
March 19	29	7	38	5	26	1	28	1	16	9	17	9	11	10	13	4	-	-	-	-		
April 16	23	7	33	5	24	7	25	7	14	9	15	9	11	9	13	3	-	-	-	-		
May 21	25	9	36	7	25	9	27	3	18	10	19	9	13	10	14	10	-	-	-	-		
June 15	26	4	36	1	24	4	26	4	18	6	19	6	14	5	14	10	-	-	-	-	31	-
July 16	24	10	36	9	23	4	27	10	16	11	17	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 20	24	3	34	5	21	3	23	9	13	2	14	2	10	1	13	2	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 7	21	3	31	4	18	9	21	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 12	25	5	34	6	22	4	23	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 16	25	6	35	8	22	11	23	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 17	25	6	35	8	21	11	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
1758. Jan. 14	25	5	35	7	21	10	22	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 11	25	4	35	5	23	5	23	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
March 15	25	4	35	5	23	-	23	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
April 15	25	2	34	3	22	-	22	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
May 17	24	3	33	5	22	1	22	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
June 14	24	5	33	6	21	7	21	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
July 15	23	4	33	6	19	4	19	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	-
Aug. 5	22	2	31	3	17	9	18	8	16	2	17	2	10	1	11	7	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 13	22	2	33	3	18	4	19	8	14	7	16	2	11	1	13	1	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 15	23	3	33	5	18	3	19	3	15	2	16	2	11	8	12	8	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 18	25	2	33	3	18	8	20	2	15	1	16	2	10	1	11	1	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 20	24	9	32	8	18	4	19	3	14	10	15	10	9	11	10	11	-	-	-	-		

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1759. Jan. 10	24	9	32	8	18	7	19	3	14	10	15	10	10	5	10	11	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 21	22	10	32	9	17	5	18	5	13	11	14	11	9	11	10	11	-	-	-	-	
March 21	22	7	32	5	16	6	18	2	13	3	14	3	10	1	10	10	-	-	-	-	
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May 9	16	7	24	10	11	1	12	-	9	3	10	7	7	10	8	9	-	-	-	-	
June 20	16	6	24	9	10	7	11	6	8	3	8	9	7	4	7	10	-	-	-	-	23 7
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Aug. 15	18	4	25	7	10	10	11	9	8	3	9	2	7	4	7	9	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 15	20	3	29	-	12	5	13	4	10	2	10	7	7	4	8	4	-	-	-	-	
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Nov. 17	17	1	27	-	11	-	12	2	9	11	11	8	7	8	8	1	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 19	16	9	26	5	10	9	11	8	10	7	12	4	7	6	7	11	-	-	-	-	
1760. Jan. 16	16	9	26	5	10	9	11	8	10	2	11	6	7	11	8	5	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 16	16	10	26	6	11	1	11	11	10	7	13	9	8	-	8	5	-	-	-	-	
March 15	15	11	25	8	10	10	11	8	10	7	13	9	8	-	8	10	-	-	-	-	
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May 14	11	2	18	4	7	7	8	9	9	2	9	11	7	2	7	7	-	-	-	-	
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July 19	12	7	20	6	9	5	10	3	8	8	9	1	7	11	8	8	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 13	14	3	22	2	10	3	10	11	10	3	11	1	7	6	7	11	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 17	16	7	22	10	10	10	11	8	11	-	11	10	7	6	7	11	-	-	-	-	
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Nov. 15	15	10	22	11	10	5	11	3	14	3	15	-	8	4	8	8	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 10	16	5	24	3	11	3	12	1	14	1	14	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Feb. 18	16	3	24	-	11	6	12	5	13	2	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
March 14	15	1	23	1	11	11	12	9	13	6	14	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April 15	15	2	23	2	10	10	11	8	12	9	13	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Nov. 14	15	7	22	7	11	8	12	6	-	-	-	-	8	7	9	4	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 30	17	2	24	3	12	11	13	8	-	-	-	-	9	5	9	9	-	-	-	-	
1762. Jan. 13	17	2	25	-	15	7	16	5	-	-	-	-	9	7	10	2	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 17	17	3	24	3	14	11	15	8	-	-	-	-	9	8	10	2	-	-	-	-	
March 20	16	5	25	1	14	11	15	8	-	-	-	-	9	8	10	2	-	-	-	-	
April 21	16	9	24	9	14	9	15	7	-	-	-	-	9	11	10	4	-	-	-	-	
May 19	16	1	22	6	15	10	16	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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July 21	20	6	26	3	19	3	19	8	-	-	-	-	13	2	13	11	-	-	-	-	
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Sept. 18	19	8	27	1	18	5	18	10	-	-	-	-	10	3	10	8	-	-	-	-	
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Nov. 13	19	9	25	7	18	4	18	8	15	8	16	6	9	6	9	11	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 15	19	9	25	6	18	5	18	9	15	7	16	5	8	3	9	1	-	-	-	-	
1763. Jan. 12	19	9	25	6	18	7	19	1	15	7	16	5	8	3	9	1	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 16	19	10	25	8	18	2	18	7	15	9	16	6	8	3	8	8	-	-	-	-	
March 19	19	1	25	9	16	2	16	7	15	9	16	7	9	2	9	7	-	-	-	-	
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May 11	16	3	22	9	12	-	12	5	11	4	12	2	6	6	7	4	-	-	-	-	
June 11	16	3	22	9	11	9	12	2	10	2	11	-	6	6	7	4	-	-	-	-	21 10
July 6	18	9	25	4	13	6	13	11	9	5	10	7	5	9	6	6	-	-	-	-	
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Dec. 21	19	9	27	2	12	7	14	-	9	10	10	8	4	11	5	9	-	-	-	-	
1764. Jan. 11	19	8	27	1	12	4	13	11	9	-	9	10	5	9	6	2	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 11	19	7	26	11	11	10	13	5	7	4	8	2	5	4	5	8	-	-	-	-	
March 14	19	5	26	9	12	2	13	9	8	1	8	11	4	10	5	8	-	-	-	-	
April 14	19	6	26	10	11	-	12	7	8	1	8	11	5	3	6	1	-	-	-	-	
May 16	17	4	24	5	9	10	11	-	7	1	7	11	5	6	6	4	-	-	-	-	
June 13	17	3	24	3	10	7	11	4	7	1	7	10	5	10	6	8	-	-	-	-	
July 18	17	4	25	3	10	10	11	10	8	8	9	5	6	8	7	1	-	-	-	-	22 3
Aug. 11	17	11	26	1	11	-	12	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 15	18	5	26	6	12	5	13	8	-	-	-	-	5	7	6	5	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 13	18	5	26	6	12	5	13	8	-	-	-	-	6	5	7	3	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 14	18	2	26	1	11	10	12	9	9	6	10	3	6	4	7	1	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 22	17	10	25	8	11	8	12	10	9	4	10	1	6	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	

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1765. Jan. 12	17	10	25	7	11	7	12	9	9	8	10	1	6	2	7	–	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 13	18	–	26	8	11	9	12	11	10	2	11	–	7	6	7	10	-	-	-	-		
March 9	18	9	28	2	12	2	13	3	10	2	10	11	8	7	9	5	-	-	-	-		
April 17	17	10	26	5	11	6	12	–	10	8	11	3	8	7	9	4	-	-	-	-		
May 11	17	9	26	2	12	8	13	6	10	9	11	2	10	–	-	-	-	-	-	-		
June 12	19	10	29	–	15	8	16	–	11	5	11	10	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	-		
July 10	19	10	29	–	17	7	17	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	1
Aug. 14	19	10	30	5	16	4	17	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 14	23	10	33	11	17	4	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 16	23	11	34	–	17	–	17	9	-	-	-	-	9	8	10	–	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 13	23	10	34	–	17	4	18	2	13	11	14	8	9	8	10	–	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 14	24	–	34	1	18	2	18	7	13	11	14	8	9	8	10	1	-	-	-	-		
1766. Jan. 15	23	10	33	9	17	8	18	5	13	10	14	7	9	7	10	–	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 15	21	6	33	7	17	8	18	5	14	7	15	4	10	–	10	4	-	-	-	-		
March 12	21	5	32	11	18	–	19	2	14	7	15	4	9	11	10	4	-	-	-	-		
April 16	19	2	29	5	16	2	16	11	13	3	13	7	10	–	10	4	-	-	-	-		
May 14	19	2	30	8	15	2	15	9	11	6	12	3	10	4	10	9	-	-	-	-		
June 14	18	7	28	3	14	2	14	11	10	5	11	11	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	26	6
July 14	17	9	28	1	12	7	14	–	9	7	11	1	8	10	9	7	-	-	-	-		
Aug. 16	19	2	29	6	13	2	14	5	8	10	10	4	8	6	9	7	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 13	22	8	32	5	15	1	16	3	9	10	12	1	9	1	9	10	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 11	23	3	34	1	15	10	17	1	10	10	12	5	9	4	10	1	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 15	23	3	34	11	15	10	16	8	11	7	13	2	7	9	8	6	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 17	23	3	34	11	15	10	16	8	11	7	13	2	7	9	8	6	-	-	-	-		
1767. Jan. 14	23	3	34	11	15	10	16	8	11	7	13	2	8	2	8	6	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 14	23	3	34	11	16	3	17	1	11	7	13	2	8	6	8	11	-	-	-	-		
March 18	23	3	34	11	15	10	16	8	11	7	13	2	9	4	9	8	-	-	-	-		
April 15	21	7	30	11	13	8	14	1	10	1	12	3	8	3	9	–	-	-	-	-		
May 9	21	–	33	–	13	8	14	4	9	10	11	11	8	1	8	9	-	-	-	-		
June 10	20	3	31	9	14	6	15	6	9	5	11	6	7	9	8	5	-	-	-	-		
July 11	22	5	34	–	14	7	15	8	9	6	11	7	7	10	8	6	-	-	-	-	27	11
Aug. 12	22	8	34	4	14	9	15	5	11	–	12	9	8	7	9	7	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 12	23	6	35	7	15	–	16	1	12	10	13	2	8	11	10	–	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 14	23	7	32	10	14	3	15	6	12	10	13	3	8	7	9	3	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 11	22	4	31	8	13	–	13	8	11	6	12	3	8	8	9	4	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 16	23	–	31	8	13	4	14	5	11	6	12	3	8	8	9	4	-	-	-	-		
1768. Jan. 16	23	–	31	8	13	8	14	5	12	3	13	–	8	8	9	4	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 17	23	3	31	11	13	10	14	6	12	4	13	1	8	–	8	9	-	-	-	-		
March 16	23	2	31	10	13	9	14	6	13	–	13	9	9	1	9	5	-	-	-	-		
April 16	23	3	31	11	13	10	14	6	13	1	13	10	9	1	9	5	-	-	-	-		
May 14	26	4	37	9	14	3	15	–	12	1	13	2	10	–	10	4	-	-	-	-		
June 15	26	9	38	4	14	6	15	2	12	4	13	9	10	10	11	7	-	-	-	-		
July 16	30	8	38	8	13	6	15	–	12	5	12	9	10	11	11	8	-	-	-	-	32	3
Aug. 17	31	–	39	1	14	5	15	10	11	10	12	11	10	4	11	1	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 17	31	7	39	11	15	–	16	6	11	3	12	9	8	8	9	10	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 15	32	–	40	4	16	–	16	9	11	5	12	11	8	9	9	11	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 16	31	6	39	9	15	5	16	6	11	3	12	9	8	8	9	9	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 14	30	2	40	–	15	10	16	7	11	4	12	10	8	8	9	10	-	-	-	-		
1769. Jan. 18	30	–	39	9	16	2	16	6	11	3	12	9	8	8	9	9	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 15	30	2	40	–	16	3	17	4	11	4	12	10	8	8	9	10	-	-	-	-		
March 18	30	3	37	10	16	3	17	–	11	4	12	10	8	8	9	10	-	-	-	-		
April 15	30	3	37	10	16	6	17	–	10	7	12	1	8	8	9	10	-	-	-	-		
May 13	24	–	33	9	15	9	16	6	10	6	12	–	8	8	9	–	-	-	-	-		
June 10	23	11	33	8	15	4	16	6	9	9	10	6	8	3	9	–	-	-	-	-		
July 12	24	–	33	9	15	–	16	6	9	9	12	–	8	3	9	–	-	-	-	-	29	10
Aug. 12	24	–	33	–	14	8	16	6	9	9	12	–	8	3	9	–	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 16	22	9	31	11	15	2	16	4	9	1	9	10	7	7	9	1	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 14	22	9	31	11	15	2	16	8	9	1	9	10	7	7	9	1	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 18	19	8	30	3	14	5	15	11	9	1	9	10	7	7	9	1	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 16	19	11	30	7	14	2	16	1	9	7	10	9	7	8	8	5	-	-	-	-		
1770. Jan. 17	19	10	30	5	14	1	15	3	9	6	10	8	7	7	8	4	-	-	-	-		
Feb. 10	19	10	30	5	13	8	15	3	9	6	10	8	7	7	8	4	-	-	-	-		
March 14	18	3	26	7	13	3	14	5	9	6	9	10	7	7	8	4	-	-	-	-		
April 14	14	11	24	7	11	2	12	3	8	2	8	11	6	8	7	5	-	-	-	-		
May 5	14	2	23	1	10	5	11	2	7	5	8	11	7	5	7	10	-	-	-	-		
June 9	14	3	23	3	13	2	14	3	9	–	10	6	7	6	8	3	-	-	-	-		
July 21	14	3	24	8	13	1	15	–	9	–	10	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	4
Aug. 15	20	4	25	8	14	4	16	7	9	10	10	7	9	10	10	7	-	-	-	-		
Sept. 15	21	4	28	11	16	–	17	6	11	5	12	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Oct. 13	23	–	30	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Nov. 10	23	10	32	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Dec. 15	23	10	32	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

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1771. Jan. –	25	4	33	9	20	9	21	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 23	27	7	35	3	23	–	23	9	16	1	18	4	11	6	13	9	-	-	-	-	
March 16	27	6	35	1	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April –	27	4	34	11	22	–	22	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May –	26	5	34	–	21	11	22	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 26	26	2	31	5	21	8	22	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
July 20	25	6	31	6	24	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31 6
Aug. 16	26	5	33	2	24	11	26	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. –	27	3	36	4	25	4	27	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 15	31	8	36	7	26	5	27	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 13	33	–	37	6	27	–	28	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 14	34	4	37	6	28	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1772. April 8	29	–	36	4	26	10	27	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 13	27	9	34	10	24	10	26	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 13	25	10	38	1	25	6	27	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
July 11	25	8	38	6	24	7	26	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Sept. 23	26	5	42	3	24	11	27	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Dec. 18	30	4	42	11	22	11	25	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1773. Jan. 15	30	4	42	11	22	11	25	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 16	30	4	42	11	22	11	25	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
March 16	29	11	42	4	22	7	24	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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July 15	14	10	27	6	11	6	12	7	10	5	11	2	8	2	8	11	-	-	-	-	22 4
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Dec. 12	26	-	31	11	23	5	24	6	15	11	17	1	10	5	11	10	-	-	-	-	
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March 23	27	6	30	5	23	9	24	6	15	7	16	4	10	5	11	10	-	-	-	-	
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May 15	25	3	28	11	19	4	20	9	13	4	14	10	10	5	11	2	-	-	-	-	
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Aug. 21	28	2	33	5	22	3	23	9	14	1	16	4	10	5	11	2	-	-	-	-	
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Oct. 23	27	6	32	8	23	9	25	3	13	4	16	4	10	5	11	2	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 9	27	6	32	8	23	9	26	-	13	4	16	4	10	5	11	2	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 18	27	6	32	8	23	9	25	3	13	4	16	4	10	5	11	2	-	-	-	-	

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1788. Jan. 22	28	2	30	5	23	9	25	3	13	4	16	4	10	5	11	2	-	-	-	-	
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March 21	30	5	32	8	23	9	25	3	13	4	16	4	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
April 18	27	6	28	11	23	9	25	3	13	4	16	4	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
May 20	27	6	28	11	20	1	20	9	13	4	16	4	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
June 10	27	6	28	11	20	1	20	9	13	4	16	4	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
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Sept. 23	28	2	29	8	18	7	20	1	13	4	16	4	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
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Nov. 14	27	6	28	11	17	1	18	7	14	1	17	10	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 16	27	6	28	11	17	1	18	7	14	1	17	10	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
1789. Jan. 13	26	9	31	11	17	1	18	7	14	1	17	10	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 3	28	11	33	5	17	10	18	11	14	1	17	10	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
March 31	31	2	34	11	18	11	20	1	14	1	17	10	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
April 24	31	11	35	7	18	11	20	1	14	1	17	10	9	8	10	5	-	-	-	-	
May 19	34	2	43	-	20	1	20	9	14	1	17	10	11	2	11	10	-	-	-	-	
— 29	35	7	43	9	26	-	26	9	14	1	17	10	11	2	11	10	-	-	-	-	
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Dec. -	47	6	53	5	24	6	26	9	14	1	17	10	11	10	12	7	-	-	-	-	
1790. Jan. 5	46	-	53	5	25	3	27	6	14	1	17	10	11	10	12	7	-	-	-	-	
Feb. 9	46	-	53	5	26	9	28	7	16	4	17	10	11	10	12	7	-	-	-	-	
March 19	43	-	49	-	23	9	26	-	16	4	17	10	11	10	12	7	-	-	-	-	
— 26	37	1	44	6	22	3	25	3	15	7	17	10	11	10	12	7	-	-	-	-	
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1791. Feb. 8	29	8	34	11	20	1	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 22	30	5	35	7	20	1	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32 10
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April 15	26	3	33	7	16	1	19	-	13	2	15	4	8	5	9	10	-	-	-	-	
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May 10	27	11	36	-	15	5	16	7	13	3	15	5	9	7	11	-	-	-	-	-	
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March 27	26	2	33	1	16	6	17	8	14	7	16	11	8	5	9	3	-	-	-	-	
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— 27	22	8	28	8	13	7	15	1	12	1	13	7	8	4	9	1	-	-	-	-	
May 11	23	10	30	3	17	6	18	3	14	4	15	11	8	9	9	6	-	-	-	-	
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1792. Sept. 11	24	4	28	10	15	11	17	1	12	11	14	5	9	1	9	10	-	-	-	-	
— 18	24	3	28	10	16	4	17	1	12	11	14	5	9	1	9	10	-	-	-	-	
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Nov. 16	33	-	39	-	21	5	23	3	15	-	18	-	9	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	
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Feb. 15	31	9	38	3	22	5	23	10	16	7	17	4	10	10	11	7	-	-	-	-	
March 21	30	6	36	9	20	10	22	3	16	-	16	8	10	5	11	1	-	-	-	-	
April 9	27	9	33	4	19	5	20	10	16	-	16	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Sept. 13	28	5	34	10	19	2	21	4	14	2	15	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 24	28	7	35	1	20	9	22	2	17	2	17	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Feb. 7	33	4	36	2	22	-	24	2	16	4	18	5	-	-	-	-	25	7	28	5	
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June 24	34	4	40	4	23	2	25	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	5	28	7	
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Sept. 5	33	6	38	8	24	11	27	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	9	40	2	
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Feb. 6	44	6	48	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 24	46	1	50	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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June -	68	11	77	6	49	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
July -	69	-	76	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. -	58	6	66	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Oct. -	62	10	73	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nov. -	64	10	74	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	1	36	9	
Dec. -	73	4	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	10	36	5	
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Feb. 23	68	5	77	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	7	34	3	
March 25	72	9	80	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	2	35	6	
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Feb. 7	28	8	37	8	15	10	18	1	14	4	15	1	9	10	10	7	18	1	20	4	
— 17	28	–	36	4	15	1	17	5	13	7	14	4	9	10	10	7	17	5	19	8	
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April 4	22	–	29	4	12	5	13	11	11	–	11	4	8	9	9	6	14	8	16	1	
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— 24	32	8	43	7	16	–	18	2	14	6	15	3	10	2	10	11	18	11	23	3	
Dec. 19	29	10	39	1	15	8	17	1	14	3	15	8	9	11	10	8	18	6	22	9	
1798. Feb. 16	27	2	37	1	15	–	17	2	12	10	14	3	8	7	10	–	17	2	19	3	
March 29	27	1	37	1	15	8	17	1	12	1	13	7	8	7	10	–	17	1	19	3	
April 17	24	11	35	8	12	10	15	–	11	5	12	10	8	7	10	–	17	1	19	3	
May 4	25	8	36	9	15	5	16	11	11	9	13	3	8	10	10	3	17	8	22	–	
— 11	25	8	36	9	16	2	17	8	12	6	13	11	8	10	10	3	17	8	22	–	
June 5	27	9	36	6	15	8	17	2	13	10	14	7	8	9	10	3	17	6	21	11	
— 29	28	1	36	11	17	–	18	5	14	–	14	9	-	-	-	-	17	9	22	9	
July 10	27	7	34	10	18	1	19	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	5	21	9	
— 20	29	4	36	7	18	8	20	6	17	7	–	–	-	-	-	-	22	8	–	–	32 10
— 27	32	2	38	–	19	–	20	6	17	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 4	32	3	38	2	18	4	19	10	19	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 20	31	2	36	3	18	2	19	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	3	24	8	
Oct. 2	32	2	35	9	18	7	19	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	10	24	4	
Nov. 9	30	6	35	6	19	11	21	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	–	25	7	
— 27	30	10	35	11	20	10	22	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	3	25	10	
Dec. 4	31	–	36	1	21	8	23	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	4	25	11	
— 18	31	1	37	7	22	5	23	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	5	26	–	
1799. Jan. 18	32	1	37	11	23	4	24	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	7	26	3	
Feb. 12	31	10	38	9	23	2	23	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 22	32	2	40	3	23	9	24	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
March 1	32	1	40	1	24	1	24	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April 26	31	3	40	2	24	2	24	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	9	32	9	
May 17	36	1	44	11	26	10	27	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	1	35	3	
— 24	39	3	48	8	28	3	29	5	22	–	22	9	-	-	-	-	31	5	34	6	
June 28	36	7	47	8	27	–	28	3	22	3	23	1	15	1	15	11	33	5	38	2	
July 19	37	11	48	4	28	2	29	10	20	2	21	9	15	4	16	1	33	10	38	10	46 10
Aug. 27	39	4	51	8	27	1	30	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 13	41	–	55	6	27	9	31	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 20	43	3	58	–	27	9	32	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 1	43	10	58	9	30	9	33	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 15	47	7	60	7	32	11	34	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 1	56	9	70	11	35	11	40	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	6	49	3	
— 19	57	3	71	7	39	1	42	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	11	49	8	
Dec. 17	65	1	74	5	42	9	46	6	25	1	26	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1800. Feb. 4	61	9	74	11	42	4	46	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 14	64	1	79	–	45	8	48	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 16	61	9	76	1	38	11	46	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
June 20	65	9	79	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 27	76	11	83	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
July 4	79	3	96	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 11	75	2	91	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 5	69	3	87	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73 9
— 12	62	9	73	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 16	51	4	68	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	10	20	6	-	-	-	-	
— 25	56	4	72	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	9	20	6	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 3	57	9	76	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	8	20	5	-	-	-	-	
— 17	60	–	76	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	4	20	–	-	-	-	-	
— 24	71	11	90	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	7	20	4	-	-	-	-	
Nov. 11	78	8	94	–	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	6	22	3	-	-	-	-	

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.
1801. Jan. 2	90	4	106	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 16	91	11	107	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
March 31	86	6	103	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
April 13	82	4	99	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 12	81	-	93	-	-	-	-	-	34	5	36	2	-	-	-	-	50	-	51	8	
— 22	68	10	81	8	-	-	-	-	27	6	30	1	-	-	-	-	45	7	49	11	
June 23	77	6	87	10	38	9	43	1	29	3	32	9	17	3	18	11	45	8	50	-	
July 10	77	2	87	6	36	-	42	10	29	2	35	7	17	2	18	10	45	5	49	9	
August 7	78	7	91	9	42	10	45	-	29	8	36	3	16	7	18	4	-	-	-	-	78 11
— 21	69	7	86	11	41	9	44	9	29	7	36	1	16	6	18	3	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 4	65	8	82	1	41	-	43	2	29	4	35	10	15	7	16	5	-	-	-	-	
— 8	63	-	82	-	34	6	38	10	25	11	28	6	15	6	16	5	40	7	43	2	
Oct. 13	65	-	79	2	37	6	39	2	25	-	27	6	15	-	15	10	38	4	40	-	
— 30	56	9	73	-	36	6	38	11	23	11	25	2	-	-	-	-	33	3	35	8	
Nov. 13	49	5	65	10	30	6	33	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	8	33	2	
Dec. 11	53	10	69	4	29	5	32	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	1	32	8	
— 22	54	7	72	9	29	9	33	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	1	33	1	
1802. Jan. 8	55	11	72	4	32	1	35	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	9	32	11	
Feb. 26	56	-	72	5	37	1	38	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	10	33	2	
March 26	51	-	67	-	34	2	35	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	4	28	10	
April 16	40	5	56	4	29	11	33	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	10	28	3	
May 17	40	11	55	7	27	10	31	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	6	27	-	
— 28	49	-	61	2	31	-	34	3	22	10	26	8	16	4	17	2	26	11	29	5	
June 25	48	9	60	11	33	4	35	4	23	7	26	-	16	3	17	1	26	10	29	3	53 5
July 30	48	5	56	4	35	2	36	4	23	-	24	3	17	9	19	5	26	8	29	1	
Aug. 27	45	11	56	4	33	5	34	7	22	2	24	2	17	9	19	4	26	7	29	-	
Oct. 8	46	6	54	3	33	9	34	6	21	4	23	3	15	6	17	1	32	7	44	2	
— 19	45	1	52	10	31	6	33	10	21	5	23	4	15	7	17	1	31	1	38	10	
Nov. 9	46	11	54	9	32	5	34	-	21	6	23	5	15	8	17	2	28	11	37	6	
Dec. 7	46	6	54	3	32	11	34	11	21	4	23	3	15	6	17	1	31	-	35	8	
— 31	46	1	53	10	34	7	36	2	21	2	23	1	15	4	16	11	28	5	32	3	
1803. Jan. 28	44	2	54	3	36	-	37	2	21	4	23	3	15	6	17	1	28	8	32	7	
March 8	40	7	55	1	35	5	37	9	21	8	25	2	15	9	17	4	29	2	33	1	
April 8	40	3	54	9	31	3	35	11	21	6	24	3	15	8	17	2	29	8	32	10	
— 29	38	11	52	11	31	2	35	-	21	5	23	4	15	7	17	2	28	10	31	2	
May 17	38	1	49	3	28	7	30	11	21	10	23	10	15	11	17	6	29	5	33	4	
June 7	42	5	53	-	30	2	31	9	22	5	24	5	19	7	22	-	30	2	34	3	
July 22	41	2	51	-	27	7	29	8	23	10	24	8	19	9	21	5	30	6	34	7	
Aug. 16	38	10	49	4	27	6	29	11	22	8	24	3	19	5	21	-	29	11	34	-	46 3
Sept. 6	42	8	53	2	29	-	30	7	23	4	25	-	16	11	17	9	29	10	33	10	
Oct. 14	41	9	51	2	28	4	29	11	23	3	24	-	16	2	16	11	27	7	29	11	
Nov. 1	40	4	50	5	27	11	29	5	20	2	21	8	15	11	16	8	27	11	30	3	
— 15	40	4	48	10	27	11	29	5	20	2	21	8	15	11	16	8	27	11	30	3	
Dec. 16	40	6	49	1	28	5	30	9	19	5	21	10	16	-	16	9	25	9	29	7	
1804. Feb. 28	36	8	45	10	26	9	28	3	19	2	21	5	15	8	16	5	25	3	29	10	
March 27	36	4	45	4	26	6	28	-	18	11	21	2	15	11	16	3	24	2	28	-	
May 4	34	1	44	6	25	11	28	2	17	1	19	3	14	10	15	7	23	-	26	8	
— 29	32	6	41	4	25	10	28	1	17	-	19	2	14	9	15	6	22	11	25	10	
June 8	31	2	44	6	25	2	27	5	16	4	19	3	14	10	15	7	22	3	25	2	
July 3	31	9	41	7	24	11	26	6	15	11	18	11	15	1	15	11	22	8	25	8	
— 15	31	9	41	7	22	8	25	8	15	1	18	2	13	7	15	1	22	8	24	11	
Aug. 10	32	3	45	-	24	-	26	3	14	3	17	3	13	6	15	-	22	6	24	9	
— 21	35	9	48	3	25	8	28	3	15	8	17	10	13	5	14	11	22	4	24	7	
— 28	47	8	60	6	30	3	34	-	20	5	22	8	15	1	16	8	-	-	-	-	53 3
Sept. 7	53	10	69	2	33	10	36	2	20	9	23	1	15	4	16	11	-	-	-	-	
— 14	54	3	66	8	34	1	36	5	20	11	23	3	15	6	17	1	-	-	-	-	
Oct. 2	54	6	69	3	33	6	35	10	21	10	24	2	15	7	17	2	27	3	29	7	
— 19	52	6	65	7	32	-	34	-	21	7	23	11	15	5	17	-	27	10	30	10	
Nov. 2	55	1	68	11	31	9	33	8	21	5	23	9	15	4	16	10	27	7	30	7	
— 9	58	8	69	6	32	5	34	-	21	7	24	8	15	5	17	-	27	10	30	10	
— 30	68	8	80	10	33	7	35	1	-	-	-	-	17	6	19	1	27	5	30	6	
Dec. 4	76	7	88	1	34	10	36	-	-	-	-	-	17	7	19	2	27	7	30	7	
— 14	76	5	87	5	35	11	37	1	-	-	-	-	17	7	19	2	27	6	33	8	
1805. January 4	73	-	88	5	36	2	37	3	-	-	-	-	17	8	19	3	27	8	33	10	
Feb. 1	65	-	82	7	33	8	35	2	27	6	29	1	17	7	19	2	27	6	33	8	
March 19	69	4	83	8	33	11	35	6	28	6	30	1	17	9	19	3	27	9	37	-	
— 29	65	1	80	5	31	9	32	11	28	4	29	10	17	7	19	2	27	7	36	9	
April 9	57	11	73	4	32	-	33	2	28	7	30	1	17	9	19	4	27	10	37	1	
May 3	58	2	69	9	32	2	33	4	27	11	29	5	-	-	-	-	29	5	35	8	
— 17	53	19	65	4	31	11	33	1	27	8	29	3	-	-	-	-	29	3	35	4	

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1805. May 28	58	7	70	4	35	11	39	1	29	8	31	3	-	-	-	-	32	10	35	11	
June 14	63	1	75	1	43	1	46	4	33	6	35	2	-	-	-	-	35	2	37	6	
July 16	58	10	72	3	43	2	44	9	34	6	36	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69 10
Aug. 16	59	1	78	10	41	9	44	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sept. 6	63	7	81	8	46	6	47	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— 13	65	-	79	8	48	9	49	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1806. April 25	58	10	62	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
— -	51	4	56	11	War with England, and Swedish blockade																
October 14	61	1	66	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58 6
— -	52	2	58	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1807. — -	-	-	-	-	The export prohibited by the French.																
1808. — -	-	-	-	-	The export prohibited by the French.																
1809. Oct. -	41	8	44	1	Towards the end of the year the export connived at by the French -																42 10
1810. May -	38	8	56	8	The export connived at by the French				-	-	-	-	-	-							
June -	47	3	70	10																	53 4
1811. March & April -	35	4	37	3	The export permitted in the beginning of the year by French licences																36 3
1812. - -	-	-	-	-	The export prohibited.																
1813. - -	-	-	-	-	The town blockaded and besieged.																
1814. April -	45	10	49	10	27	6	28	10	21	-	22	3	17	8	19	8	31	5	35	4	
May -	45	10	49	10	34	1	35	4	21	-	22	3	22	3	23	7	31	5	35	4	
June -	40	8	54	1	34	4	35	7	20	4	21	7	20	4	21	7	25	6	31	9	
July -	41	10	55	9	27	8	28	10	17	4	18	5	15	7	17	4	21	11	27	8	
August -	37	-	49	4	22	7	23	8	13	11	15	5	13	11	15	5	16	5	21	7	47 5
Sept. -	42	9	62	-	28	3	29	11	19	3	20	4	18	2	19	3	21	5	23	6	
Oct. -	41	4	56	7	33	9	34	10	20	8	26	1	18	6	19	7	24	4	33	9	
Nov. -	38	10	53	5	33	10	34	4	28	4	26	2	16	4	17	5	30	6	33	10	
Dec. -	35	11	52	5	34	3	35	11	28	3	26	11	18	6	19	7	30	6	33	9	
1815. Jan. -	42	3	52	10	33	10	34	11	19	-	21	2	18	-	19	-	25	4	27	6	
Feb. -	42	3	52	10	33	10	34	11	19	-	21	2	18	-	19	-	25	4	27	6	
March -	43	9	54	9	35	-	36	1	19	8	21	11	18	7	19	8	26	3	28	5	
April 11	49	7	62	-	42	2	43	5	27	3	28	6	21	10	24	10	37	3	39	8	
May 5	48	-	57	7	37	3	38	5	25	2	26	5	19	2	21	7	33	7	36	-	
June 5	48	9	58	7	37	10	39	-	25	7	26	10	19	6	21	11	34	2	36	7	
July 11	42	8	49	3	31	9	32	10	23	-	24	1	17	6	19	8	27	4	29	6	
— 25	42	8	49	3	30	8	31	9	23	-	24	1	17	6	18	7	26	3	27	4	
— 28	36	10	46	-	30	8	31	9	23	-	24	1	17	6	18	7	26	3	27	4	46 1
Aug. 25	38	11	45	2	27	4	28	5	20	2	21	-	16	10	17	10	25	3	26	3	
Sept. 15	41	9	47	10	26	7	27	8	19	2	20	2	15	11	17	-	25	6	26	7	
Oct. 6	40	10	47	2	24	1	25	2	18	10	19	11	15	9	16	9	25	2	26	2	
— 17	40	4	46	6	22	3	23	3	18	7	19	8	15	6	16	6	24	10	25	10	
— 31	39	8	45	9	23	5	24	8	18	4	19	4	15	3	16	3	24	8	25	5	
Nov. 21	37	10	43	11	25	7	26	7	18	5	19	5	15	4	16	4	24	6	25	7	
Dec. 21	37	-	43	-	25	-	26	-	17	11	19	-	15	-	16	-	24	-	25	-	
1816. Jan. 9	35	10	40	10	23	11	24	11	16	11	17	11	13	11	14	11	22	11	23	11	
March 19	36	1	40	10	22	9	23	9	16	2	17	1	13	3	14	3	21	10	22	9	
April 5	36	5	41	3	20	2	21	1	16	4	17	3	13	5	14	5	20	2	21	1	
— 12	36	5	41	3	20	2	21	1	16	4	17	3	13	5	14	5	20	2	20	7	
May 10	36	7	43	4	21	2	22	9	16	4	17	4	13	6	14	5	20	3	20	8	
— 17	39	5	48	1	22	7	23	7	16	4	17	4	13	6	14	5	21	2	22	2	
— 21	44	3	52	11	24	1	25	-	17	4	18	3	13	6	14	5	23	1	24	1	
— 24	50	5	60	1	27	2	29	9	17	5	18	5	13	7	14	6	23	3	24	3	
June 7	47	4	58	-	29	-	30	11	17	5	18	4	13	6	14	6	24	2	26	1	
— 18	43	1	57	10	24	10	27	-	17	4	18	4	13	6	14	5	24	1	26	-	
— 25	40	1	55	4	24	10	25	9	17	2	18	2	13	4	14	4	22	9	25	9	
July 9	38	7	53	-	24	10	26	-	17	4	18	4	13	6	14	5	24	1	26	-	
— 26	37	9	51	11	21	-	28	4	17	-	17	11	13	3	14	2	23	7	25	6	
— 30	45	3	56	6	28	3	30	2	16	11	17	11	13	2	14	1	23	7	25	5	
Aug. 16	37	3	55	10	26	1	27	11	16	9	17	8	13	-	13	11	23	3	25	1	
Sept. 20	44	2	55	2	28	6	29	5	16	7	17	6	12	11	13	10	23	-	24	10	57 4
— 24	44	3	55	3	30	5	31	4	16	7	17	6	12	11	13	10	23	-	24	10	
— 27	49	4	60	6	30	8	31	8	16	9	17	8	13	-	13	11	23	3	25	1	
Oct. 1	49	4	60	6	31	1	33	6	16	9	17	8	13	-	13	11	26	1	27	-	

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.
1816. Oct. 4	49	4	60	6	31	8	31	10	18	7	20	6	13	–	13	11	25	1	27	11	
— 15	47	8	61	11	33	–	33	11	18	4	20	2	13	–	13	10	30	3	32	1	
— 18	47	8	61	11	31	2	32	1	18	4	20	2	13	–	13	10	30	3	32	1	
— 22	50	5	64	2	31	2	32	1	18	4	20	2	13	–	13	10	32	1	34	10	
— 25	55	7	72	1	24	–	24	11	20	4	21	3	13	10	14	9	25	10	37	–	
Nov. 1	50	3	78	11	38	2	39	1	22	4	24	2	13	11	14	11	33	6	35	4	
— 8	51	3	80	8	37	–	38	–	20	11	22	9	14	3	15	2	34	2	36	1	
— 15	50	6	79	3	36	5	37	5	22	5	23	4	14	–	14	11	-	-	-	-	
— 19	50	3	78	11	36	3	37	3	22	4	24	2	14	11	15	10	-	-	-	-	
Dec. 6	65	8	89	2	42	3	43	2	26	3	27	3	17	10	18	9	39	5	40	4	
— 10	65	7	89	–	44	11	48	3	26	3	27	2	17	9	18	9	39	4	40	3	
— 13	66	1	89	8	50	1	51	–	21	–	27	5	17	11	18	10	40	7	42	6	
— 17	65	11	90	5	51	10	52	9	31	1	33	–	17	11	18	10	39	–	42	5	
— 20	71	2	95	–	52	2	53	2	31	4	33	3	18	–	19	–	43	8	45	7	
— 24	71	2	95	11	52	2	53	2	31	4	33	3	18	–	19	–	45	7	47	6	
— 27	84	–	104	11	52	6	53	5	31	6	33	5	18	2	19	1	45	10	47	8	
1817. Jan. 7	85	3	106	7	53	6	54	3	32	–	33	11	18	5	19	5	46	2	48	5	
— 17	84	8	105	10	50	1	52	–	31	9	33	8	18	3	19	3	50	1	52	11	
— 28	84	8	105	10	48	1	50	1	31	9	33	8	18	3	19	3	50	1	52	11	
March 11	71	7	95	5	46	9	47	8	28	7	29	7	18	2	19	1	49	8	52	6	
— 21	71	7	95	5	42	11	44	10	28	7	29	7	18	2	19	1	49	8	52	6	
— 28	72	2	96	3	41	4	43	4	26	11	28	10	18	3	19	3	42	4	44	3	
April 4	67	10	96	10	39	9	41	8	27	2	29	9	18	5	19	5	42	8	44	7	
— 18	68	7	88	2	36	3	38	2	25	6	28	5	18	7	19	7	43	1	45	–	
— 25	64	–	83	8	34	5	35	5	22	8	24	7	18	8	19	8	39	4	42	4	
May 20	63	11	86	11	34	5	36	4	21	7	22	7	18	8	19	8	39	4	42	3	
— 23	63	8	86	7	34	3	36	3	21	7	24	6	18	7	19	7	39	2	42	1	
— 30	73	–	100	–	39	–	40	–	25	–	28	–	19	–	20	–	40	–	43	–	
June 10	72	3	99	–	38	7	39	7	24	9	27	9	18	10	20	9	39	7	42	7	
— 13	80	–	105	–	40	–	41	–	25	–	28	–	20	–	22	–	40	–	43	–	
— 17	82	8	109	6	40	10	41	9	24	11	27	10	19	11	21	11	39	10	42	9	
— 20	85	–	115	–	46	–	48	–	30	–	33	–	20	–	22	–	40	–	44	–	
— 27	85	6	115	8	46	3	48	3	33	2	35	2	23	2	25	2	40	3	44	3	
July 4	80	6	110	8	46	3	47	3	35	2	37	3	23	2	25	2	40	3	44	3	
— 11	70	5	90	6	39	3	40	3	30	2	33	2	23	2	25	2	40	3	44	3	
— 18	69	11	91	9	36	11	38	10	29	11	32	11	22	11	24	11	39	10	43	10	
— 22	70	–	92	–	37	–	39	–	27	–	29	–	23	–	25	–	40	–	44	–	
— 25	69	8	91	7	36	10	38	10	26	10	29	10	22	11	24	11	39	10	43	9	
— 28	78	–	105	–	42	–	43	–	33	–	35	–	23	–	25	–	40	–	44	–	
— 29	64	8	84	7	32	10	34	10	24	11	26	10	22	11	24	11	-	-	-	-	
Aug. 15	51	8	76	1	28	9	30	8	21	3	23	–	19	2	21	1	28	9	31	7	
— 19	51	8	71	9	28	9	30	8	21	3	23	–	19	2	21	1	28	9	31	7	
— 26	52	1	72	4	27	–	28	11	20	3	21	3	18	4	17	7	28	11	31	10	
Sept. 2	53	10	73	1	27	3	29	3	20	5	21	5	18	6	19	6	29	3	32	2	
— 12	52	6	70	–	29	2	31	1	20	5	21	5	18	6	19	5	29	2	31	01	
— 26	48	1	67	4	26	11	28	10	20	3	21	2	18	3	19	3	28	10	31	9	
Oct. 7	48	5	67	10	29	9	31	–	20	4	21	4	18	5	19	5	29	9	32	–	
— 21	48	11	68	7	29	5	31	10	20	7	21	7	18	7	19	7	29	5	32	4	
— 28	48	11	68	7	29	5	31	10	20	7	21	7	14	8	16	8	32	4	35	3	
— 31	48	11	68	7	31	4	32	10	20	7	21	7	14	8	16	8	32	4	35	3	
Nov. 4	49	4	69	2	31	7	33	1	21	9	22	9	14	10	16	10	32	7	35	7	
— 7	49	9	69	8	32	10	33	7	23	11	24	11	14	11	16	11	35	10	37	10	
— 14	49	9	69	8	30	10	32	10	21	11	23	11	14	11	16	11	32	10	34	10	
— 21	49	6	69	4	31	8	33	8	21	9	23	9	14	10	16	10	32	8	34	8	
— 28	54	–	68	9	32	5	33	5	22	7	24	7	14	9	16	8	32	5	34	5	
Dec. 2	54	5	69	4	32	8	33	8	22	9	24	9	14	10	16	10	32	8	34	8	
— 23	57	10	74	9	32	11	33	11	22	11	24	11	14	11	16	11	32	11	34	11	
1818. January 2	57	7	74	5	32	9	33	9	22	10	24	10	14	11	16	10	32	9	34	9	
— 9	59	6	79	4	33	8	34	8	22	10	24	9	14	10	16	10	32	9	34	8	
— 20	62	3	79	–	35	7	36	7	24	8	26	2	16	10	17	10	32	7	34	07	
Feb. 10	59	5	76	3	34	8	35	8	24	9	26	3	18	4	19	10	32	8	34	08	
— 24	60	–	77	–	34	–	33	–	24	–	26	6	18	3	20	–	33	–	35	–	
March 6	58	–	73	–	33	–	34	–	24	–	25	–	18	3	20	–	33	–	35	–	
— 13	56	11	69	11	32	11	33	11	23	–	24	–	18	6	19	–	31	11	32	11	
— 20	58	1	72	2	30	1	31	11	24	–	25	1	17	6	18	–	31	11	32	11	
— 31	56	4	73	5	30	2	32	1	25	2	26	2	17	6	18	–	32	1	33	02	
April 10	56	4	73	5	30	2	32	1	25	2	26	2	17	6	18	–	33	2	34	2	
— 17	57	3	75	7	30	8	31	8	25	7	26	7	17	11	18	5	33	9	34	9	
— 21	57	3	75	7	30	8	31	8	25	7	27	7	17	11	18	5	33	9	34	9	
May 5	56	8	72	10	29	4	30	4	24	3	25	3	17	8	18	2	33	4	34	4	
— 8	53	–	67	3	29	4	30	4	24	3	25	3	17	8	18	2	33	4	34	4	
— 22	53	2	67	5	30	8	31	8	23	6	24	6	17	11	18	5	33	9	34	9	

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from	WHEAT. to	RYE. from	RYE. to	BARLEY. from	BARLEY. to	OATS. from	OATS. to	WHITE PEASE. from	WHITE PEASE. to	YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1818. May 29	50 9	64 8	30 9	31 10	23 7	24 8	17 11	18 6	33 10	34 10	
June 16	54 2	66 5	30 8	31 8	23 6	25 7	17 11	- -	33 9	34 9	
— 23	56 3	69 6	31 8	32 9	24 6	25 7	17 11	18 5	33 9	34 9	
— 26	56 3	69 6	30 8	32 9	24 6	27 1	17 11	18 5	33 9	34 9	
July 10	55 7	66 9	30 4	32 4	24 3	28 4	17 8	18 2	33 4	34 4	64 7
— 14	55 6	67 1	30 3	32 4	25 3	27 9	17 8	19 2	34 8	36 4	
— 17	55 7	67 9	30 4	32 4	25 3	27 10	18 2	21 3	34 4	37 11	
— 21	61 -	76 3	30 6	32 6	28 6	30 6	- -	- -	- -	- -	
— 24	60 7	75 9	31 3	33 4	28 3	30 3	- -	- -	- -	- -	
— 28	60 11	76 1	31 5	33 6	30 5	33 6	- -	- -	- -	- -	
Aug. 4	58 5	73 4	31 4	33 4	30 4	33 4	- -	- -	- -	- -	
11	57 6	70 8	30 3	32 4	30 3	32 4	21 2	22 3	- -	- -	
— 18	56 -	68 -	30 -	32 -	30 -	32 -	20 -	22 -	- -	- -	
Sept. 1	59 -	70 -	33 -	34 -	30 -	32 -	20 -	22 -	- -	- -	
— 18	58 1	68 11	33 6	34 5	30 6	32 6	20 8	21 8	- -	- -	
— 25	58 6	69 4	33 8	35 8	30 8	32 8	20 9	21 9	- -	- -	
— 29	58 8	69 8	35 10	36 10	31 10	33 7	21 11	22 11	52 9	54 8	
Oct. 9	59 8	70 9	36 5	37 5	32 4	33 4	21 3	22 3	50 7	53 1	
— 16	59 6	70 8	36 4	37 4	32 4	33 4	21 2	22 2	46 5	50 6	
— 30	57 11	71 2	35 7	36 7	32 6	33 7	20 4	21 4	44 8	46 9	
Nov. 17	58 11	70 4	36 2	37 3	33 1	34 1	20 8	21 8	45 6	47 7	
Dec. 1	59 11	71 6	37 10	38 11	33 8	34 8	21 -	22 1	46 3	48 4	
— 4	58 3	69 6	36 10	37 10	30 8	31 8	20 5	21 6	40 11	42 11	
1819. Jan. 1	57 4	68 5	36 3	37 3	30 2	31 2	20 1	21 1	44 3	42 3	
— 12	52 7	65 9	35 5	36 5	30 4	31 4	19 3	20 3	38 5	40 5	
— 29	52 -	65 -	35 -	36 -	30 -	31 -	19 -	20 -	38 -	40 -	
Feb. 9	52 2	65 3	34 2	35 2	29 1	30 1	18 1	19 1	35 2	37 2	
— 16	50 -	62 -	34 -	35 -	29 -	30 -	18 -	19 -	37 -	35 -	
March 2	49 3	61 -	31 6	32 6	28 7	29 6	17 9	18 8	34 5	36 5	
— 16	45 8	59 6	30 9	31 9	25 10	27 9	17 4	17 10	32 9	34 9	
— 30	44 9	56 5	28 2	29 2	24 4	26 3	17 -	17 6	30 2	32 1	
April 2	44 10	56 6	28 3	29 3	24 4	26 4	17 -	17 6	30 3	32 2	
— 9	44 1	56 5	29 9	30 9	23 7	24 8	16 5	17 5	31 10	33 10	
— 20	39 6	52 4	27 8	28 8	22 9	23 9	14 10	15 10	27 8	29 8	
— 30	35 8	47 6	26 9	27 9	17 10	19 10	14 10	15 10	27 9	29 8	
May 14	33 3	44 1	25 6	26 5	17 7	19 7	13 9	14 8	28 5	29 5	
June 25	32 7	43 2	26 4	27 10	17 3	19 2	13 5	14 5	26 10	28 9	
— 29	32 7	43 2	27 10	28 9	19 2	21 1	16 4	17 3	26 10	28 9	43 9
July 9	32 7	43 2	28 9	30 8	19 2	22 1	16 4	17 3	26 10	28 9	
— 13	34 2	45 7	28 6	30 5	19 -	21 10	16 2	17 1	26 7	28 6	
— 20	36 5	46 8	28 -	29 10	20 6	23 4	15 10	16 10	26 2	28 -	
— 30	36 5	46 9	27 1	28 1	20 7	23 4	15 11	16 10	26 2	28 1	
Aug. 6	36 7	46 11	26 3	27 3	18 9	20 8	15 11	16 11	26 3	28 2	
— 17	33 9	43 9	23 9	24 7	15 6	18 3	15 6	16 5	25 7	27 4	
— 27	32 3	40 4	21 6	22 5	15 3	17 11	15 3	16 2	25 1	26 11	
Sep. 14	27 1	38 10	20 9	21 8	13 7	16 3	11 9	14 5	25 3	27 1	
Oct. 12	27 1	38 10	18 1	19 11	13 7	16 3	11 9	14 5	25 3	27 1	
Nov. 5	26 5	36 6	18 3	20 1	13 8	16 5	11 10	14 7	22 10	24 7	
— 12	26 5	36 6	18 3	20 1	13 8	16 5	11 10	14 7	21 -	22 10	
— 23	26 4	36 4	18 2	19 1	13 7	16 4	11 10	14 6	20 11	22 8	
Dec. 3	25 11	35 9	17 11	18 9	13 5	16 1	11 8	14 4	22 4	24 3	
1820. Jan. 30	26 1	35 11	18 -	18 11	13 6	16 2	11 8	14 5	22 6	24 3	
Feb. 1	26 1	35 11	18 11	19 9	13 6	16 2	11 8	14 5	22 6	24 3	
Mar. 3	26 4	36 4	18 1	19 11	13 8	16 4	11 9	14 6	22 8	24 6	
— -	27 2	38 1	18 1	19 11	14 6	16 9	11 9	14 6	22 8	24 6	
— 24	31 11	43 9	20 1	21 -	14 7	16 10	11 10	14 7	22 10	24 7	
— 28	32 5	44 5	22 3	23 2	14 10	17 1	12 -	14 10	24 1	26 10	
April 4	30 1	41 -	19 7	21 -	14 7	16 10	11 10	14 7	23 9	26 5	
May 2	30 5	41 5	19 10	21 2	12 11	14 9	12 -	14 9	23 11	26 9	
— 9	32 2	44 1	19 9	21 2	12 10	14 8	11 11	14 8	23 11	26 10	
— 26	28 5	38 10	19 5	19 11	12 8	14 5	11 9	14 5	23 6	26 2	33 3
June 27	28 7	41 9	19 6	20 -	11 10	13 7	10 11	11 10	22 8	23 7	
July 14	29 11	45 5	19 1	20 11	11 10	13 7	10 11	11 10	22 8	23 7	
Aug. 1	29 5	40 11	18 8	20 6	11 7	13 4	10 8	11 7	- -	- -	
— 18	24 -	38 3	16 11	18 8	11 7	13 4	10 8	11 7	22 3	23 4	
Sept. 1	23 11	38 1	16 10	18 7	11 6	13 3	12 5	13 3	22 2	23 -	
Oct. 3	23 8	37 9	16 8	18 5	11 5	13 2	10 1	10 6	21 11	22 10	
— 31	23 8	35 1	14 6	16 8	11 5	13 2	10 1	10 6	16 8	18 5	
Nov. -	23 7	34 11	14 10	16 7	11 4	13 1	10 -	10 6	16 7	18 4	
Dec. 1	20 10	33 -	14 9	15 8	11 4	12 3	8 8	9 7	14 9	16 6	—

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YEAR and DATE.	WHEAT. from		to		RYE. from		to		BARLEY. from		to		OATS. from		to		WHITE PEASE. from		to		YEARLY Average Price of Wheat.
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.
1821. Jan. 2	21	–	33	2	14	10	15	9	11	4	12	3	8	9	9	7	14	10	16	7	
Feb. –	21	–	33	2	14	10	15	9	11	4	12	3	8	9	9	7	14	10	16	7	
April 6	21	–	33	2	13	1	15	9	10	1	10	6	8	9	9	7	14	–	15	9	
May –	20	9	32	11	14	9	15	7	11	3	12	1	8	8	9	6	14	9	16	5	
June 1	20	1	30	7	12	3	15	9	8	9	10	6	8	9	9	7	13	1	15	9	
Aug. 28	20	–	31	4	13	11	15	8	8	8	10	5	8	8	9	7	13	1	15	8	
Sept. 9	24	5	33	–	13	11	15	8	8	8	10	5	8	8	9	7	13	1	15	8	31 7
— 21	29	10	41	–	15	4	17	1	8	6	10	3	8	6	9	5	12	10	15	4	
— 25	38	6	48	4	20	7	24	–	12	6	13	5	10	9	11	8	13	5	16	1	
Oct. 2	38	9	49	8	21	8	23	6	12	8	13	7	11	9	12	8	16	3	18	1	
— 30	31	5	41	11	19	3	21	–	12	3	13	1	10	6	11	4	15	9	17	6	
Nov. 20	26	10	39	10	16	5	19	–	9	6	10	5	8	8	9	6	11	3	13	10	
Dec. 21	24	3	34	7	16	5	19	–	9	6	10	5	8	8	9	6	11	3	13	10	
1822. Jan. –	24	5	34	9	16	6	19	2	9	2	10	5	8	8	9	7	11	4	13	11	
Feb. –	24	5	34	9	16	6	19	2	9	2	10	5	8	8	9	7	11	4	13	11	
March –	24	5	34	11	16	7	19	3	9	2	10	6	8	9	9	7	11	4	14	–	
April –	24	4	34	4	17	2	19	10	9	6	10	10	9	6	9	11	11	9	14	5	
May –	24	2	34	1	17	–	19	9	9	5	10	9	9	–	9	10	11	8	14	4	
June –	24	3	34	–	16	1	17	11	9	5	10	9	9	5	10	4	12	6	15	2	
July –	23	10	33	6	18	6	20	3	11	6	13	3	10	7	11	11	15	–	16	9	29 1
Aug. –	23	9	33	5	16	9	18	6	11	5	13	2	10	7	11	11	15	–	16	9	
Sept. –	23	11	33	8	15	11	17	9	11	6	13	3	10	8	12	–	15	1	16	10	
Oct. –	23	11	33	8	15	11	17	9	12	–	14	2	10	8	12	–	15	11	17	9	
Nov. –	24	1	33	11	16	1	17	10	15	8	17	10	11	7	12	11	17	10	19	8	
Dec. –	24	3	34	–	16	1	17	11	15	8	17	11	12	6	13	5	17	11	19	8	
823. Jan. –	23	8	33	4	17	7	19	4	15	4	17	7	12	3	13	2	17	7	19	4	
Feb. –	23	9	33	5	19	4	22	–	15	5	17	7	12	4	13	2	17	7	19	4	
March –	23	5	32	11	19	1	21	8	15	2	17	4	12	2	13	–	17	4	19	1	
April –	23	6	33	1	19	2	21	9	14	10	17	5	12	2	13	1	17	5	19	2	
May –	23	10	33	7	19	5	22	1	15	5	17	8	12	4	13	3	17	8	19	5	
June –	23	9	33	5	19	4	22	–	15	5	17	7	12	4	13	2	17	7	19	4	26 8
July –	21	11	31	7	18	5	20	2	15	4	17	6	9	8	10	6	17	6	19	5	
Aug. –	21	10	31	5	16	7	18	4	13	1	14	10	7	10	8	9	17	5	19	2	
Sept. –	21	7	31	1	12	1	14	8	9	11	11	3	7	9	8	8	17	3	19	–	
Oct. –	19	1	26	11	13	–	15	2	10	–	11	3	7	10	8	8	13	11	15	7	
Nov. –	19	4	27	2	13	2	15	4	10	1	11	5	7	11	8	9	14	1	15	10	
Dec. –	19	5	27	2	13	2	15	4	10	1	11	5	7	11	8	9	14	–	15	9	
1824. Jan. –	17	6	24	6	11	5	13	2	8	9	9	7	7	–	7	11	12	3	14	–	
Feb. –	21	2	28	3	12	4	14	2	9	2	10	2	7	6	8	10	13	3	15	–	
March –	19	8	26	11	11	8	13	5	8	1	8	11	7	2	8	1	11	8	13	5	
April –	19	6	26	9	10	11	12	9	8	7	9	6	6	10	7	9	11	4	12	9	
May –	19	3	26	6	10	1	11	11	8	3	9	2	6	5	7	4	10	1	11	11	
June –	19	1	26	5	9	1	10	11	7	9	8	8	6	4	7	3	10	–	11	10	
July –	18	4	25	9	10	1	11	11	7	4	8	3	6	5	7	4	9	2	10	7	22 9
Aug. –	18	4	25	8	8	3	10	1	7	4	8	3	7	–	7	9	9	2	10	7	
Sept. –	16	4	23	7	8	2	9	1	7	3	8	2	6	10	7	10	9	1	10	11	
Oct. –	18	10	25	4	8	2	10	–	7	10	8	7	6	10	7	10	10	–	11	9	
Nov. –	20	3	27	8	9	2	11	1	8	3	10	2	6	5	7	4	10	7	12	1	
Dec. –	21	4	28	8	9	9	11	7	8	10	10	2	6	11	7	10	11	1	13	–	
1825. Jan. –	20	5	27	10	10	3	12	1	9	8	11	2	7	–	7	11	11	2	13	–	
Feb. –	20	3	27	8	10	2	12	–	9	2	10	2	6	11	7	10	11	1	12	11	
March –	19	4	26	8	10	1	11	11	9	2	10	1	6	11	7	10	11	11	13	10	
April –	20	6	27	11	9	4	11	2	8	10	9	9	6	6	7	5	12	1	13	11	
May –	19	10	27	5	8	6	10	5	8	6	9	5	6	7	7	7	12	3	14	2	
June –	17	9	25	3	8	–	9	4	7	6	8	5	7	6	8	5	11	3	13	1	23 3
July –	16	11	24	5	7	6	8	11	8	–	8	11	7	6	8	5	11	9	13	7	
Aug. –	17	9	25	3	8	5	10	4	9	4	10	9	7	6	8	5	12	2	13	7	
Sept. –	20	6	27	11	10	8	12	7	9	9	11	2	7	5	8	4	12	1	13	11	
Oct. –	20	2	27	6	11	–	12	10	10	1	11	6	7	9	8	9	13	10	16	6	
Nov. –	21	–	28	3	12	9	14	7	11	5	12	9	8	2	9	1	18	3	20	1	
Dec. –	20	–	27	3	13	7	15	5	11	10	13	2	8	2	9	6	19	6	20	11	
1826. Jan. –	18	–	27	–	13	6	14	6	9	11	10	9	8	1	9	–	18	–	19	9	
Feb. –	16	10	24	10	12	5	13	3	9	4	10	2	7	6	8	5	17	3	19	1	
March –	15	11	23	10	11	1	12	5	8	10	9	9	8	–	8	10	15	6	17	8	
April –	16	2	24	3	10	9	11	8	9	–	9	11	8	1	9	–	13	–	15	3	
May –	18	2	27	3	10	11	11	10	10	–	10	11	8	2	9	1	13	2	15	–	23 1
June –	17	1	25	2	9	11	10	9	9	–	9	11	8	1	9	–	13	6	15	4	
July –	17	6	25	6	10	4	11	2	10	9	11	8	9	10	10	9	14	4	16	1	
Aug. –	19	5	27	9	13	–	13	11	12	–	13	5	12	–	13	–	21	4	23	2	
Sept. –	26	–	34	1	17	11	19	9	13	5	14	4	14	4	15	8	30	5	32	3	
Oct. –	25	1	32	3	18	10	20	7	17	11	18	10	15	3	16	2	32	3	40	4	

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TABLE THIRD.

QUANTITIES OF GRAIN EXPORTED FROM DANZIG.

REMARKS:

THE Cubical contents of the Last have remained unaltered during the whole period from 1700 till now, although it formerly had 60 Danzig sheffels, and now has 56½ Prussian sheffels; the difference being only in the size of the Danzig and Prussian sheffels. In 1823, the *form* of the Prussian sheffel was indeed altered, being made narrower and deeper, by which it was supposed to yield rather better measure; in consequence of which I reckoned the last at about 11 quarters, in the lists since 1822; but the last is here taken at 10¾ quarters for the whole period, being tolerably correct, and for the sake of uniformity.

The Quantities stated as Exported, probably contain, till 1793, the quantities consumed in the town, which are most considerable of Rye, being the grain chiefly used for bread and distilling; but from 1794 the quantities are taken from the Custom House Lists of Exports.

I find the following Errors in the List of which Mr. Jacob got a copy:—

In 1706	the Export was	18,621	Lasts of	Rye,	instead of	18,021	lasts as noted.
— 1706	—	5	—	Oats	—	3	—
— 1730	—	17,277	—	Rye	—	12,277	—
— 1738	—	3,203	—	—	—	8,203	—
— 1751	—	32,053	—	—	—	31,362	—
— 1756	—	14,567	—	—	—	14,576	—
— 1761	—	11,418	—	—	—	11,478	—
— 1762	—	1,983	—	Oats	—	1,903	—

which Errors are here rectified.

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TABLE THIRD.

QUANTITIES OF GRAIN EXPORTED FROM DANZIG, FROM THE YEAR 1700, in Winchester Quarters, taking 10½ Quarters to the Last.

YEAR.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		PEASE.	
	Lasts.	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*
1700	3,102	33,346 ½	9,642	103,651 ½	1,095	11,771 ½	2	21 ½	58	623 ½
1701	3,221	34,625 ¾	8,530	91,697 ½	273	2,934 ¾	11	118 ¼	7	75 ½
1702	4,083	43,892 ¼	17,179	184,674 ¾	782	8,406 ½	15	161 ¼	53	569 ¾
1703	3,153	33,894 ¾	5,749	61,801 ¾	206	2,214 ½	21	225 ¾	—	—
1704	4,851	52,148 ¼	11,559	124,259 ¼	554	5,955 ½	—	—	—	—
1705	6,003	64,532 ¼	14,416	154,972	573	6,159 ¼	—	—	—	—
1706	6,882	73,981 ½	18,621	200,175 ¾	1,016	10,922	5	53 ¾	—	—
1707	6,095	65,521 ¼	11,309	121,571 ¼	993	10,674 ¾	—	—	—	—
1708	9,133	98,179 ¼	17,436	187,437	841	9,040 ¼	4	43	—	—
1709	7,737	83,172 ¾	16,534	177,740 ½	- -	- -	10	107 ½	—	—
1710	3,546	38,119 ½	6,917	74,357 ¾	754	8,105 ½	—	—	—	—
1711	4,319	46,429 ½	16,932	182,019	937	10,072 ¾	—	—	—	—
1712	7,371	79,238 ¼	24,174	259,870 ½	421	4,525 ¼	148	1,591	—	—
1713	12,158	130,698 ½	28,234	303,510 ½	394	4,235 ½	350	3,762 ½	—	—
1714	4,541	48,815 ¾	7,096	76,282	177	1,902 ¾	51	548 ¼	—	—
1715	1,014	10,900 ½	2,283	24,542 ¼	129	1,386 ¾	26	279 ½	—	—
1716	1,818	19,543 ½	5,840	62,780	368	3,956	14	150 ½	—	—
1717	3,448	37,066	6,326	68,004 ½	140	1,505	—	—	—	—
1718	2,216	23,822	13,402	144,071 ½	496	5,332	42	451 ¼	—	—
1719	5,091	54,728 ¼	18,630	200,272 ½	15	161 ¼	252	2,709	—	—
1720	3,488	37,496	12,996	139,707	379	4,074 ¼	421	4,525 ¾	—	—
1721	5,565	59,823 ¾	17,929	192,736 ¾	85	913 ¾	220	2,365	—	—
1722	6,303	67,757 ¼	23,505	252,678 ¾	550	5,912 ½	1	10 ¾	—	—
1723	9,195	98,846 ¼	33,557	360,737 ¾	1,529	16,436 ¼	785	8,438 ¼	—	—
1724	9,005	96,803 ¾	41,880	450,210	829	8,911 ¾	516	5,547	—	—
1725	11,467	123,270 ¼	24,565	264,073 ¾	1,057	11,362 ¾	379	4,074 ¼	—	—
1726	9,118	98,018 ½	20,293	218,149 ¾	718	7,718 ½	119	1,279 ¼	—	—
1727	3,885	41,763 ¾	17,483	187,942 ¼	403	4,332 ¼	198	2,128 ½	—	—
1728	8,651	92,998 ½	19,149	205,851 ¾	1,714	18,425 ½	1,247	13,405 ¼	—	—
1729	18,990	204,142 ½	31,407	337,625 ¼	1,350	14,512 ½	1,073	11,534 ¼	—	—
1730	10,554	113,455 ½	17,277	185,727 ¾	316	3,397	29	311 ¾	—	—
1731	10,820	116,315	6,059	65,134 ¼	352	3,784	48	516	—	—
1732	6,928	74,476	7,378	79,313 ½	240	2,580	—	—	—	—
1733	10,718	115,218 ½	14,475	155,606 ¼	247	2,655 ¼	62	666 ½	—	—
1734	9,611	103,318 ¼	5,893	63,349 ¼	15	161 ¾	8	86	—	—
1735	8,038	86,408 ½	6,397	68,767 ¾	50	537 ½	13	139 ¾	—	—
1736	2,343	25,187 ¼	1,949	20,951 ¾	—	—	—	—	—	—
1737	1,907	20,500 ¼	256	2,752	39	419 ¼	174	1,870 ½	—	—
1738	4,642	49,901 ½	3,203	34,432 ¼	89	956 ¾	73	784 ¾	—	—
1739	8,576	92,192	10,239	110,069 ¼	285	3,063 ¾	348	3,741	—	—
1740	15,268	164,131	23,572	253,399	641	6,890 ¼	75	806 ¼	—	—
1741	8,672	93,224	9,966	107,134 ½	156	1,677	802	8,621 ¼	—	—
1742	5,240	56,330	6,664	71,638	778	8,363 ½	224	2,408	—	—
1743	4,950	53,212 ½	7,472	80,324	986	10,599 ½	338	3,633 ½	—	—
1744	5,012	53,879	11,913	128,064 ¾	120	1,290	17	182 ¾	—	—
1745	2,315	24,886 ¼	3,852	41,409	8	86	389	4,181 ¼	—	—
1746	2,236	24,037	4,957	53,287 ¾	53	569 ¼	48	516	—	—
1747	4,443	47,762 ¼	7,570	81,377 ½	252	2,709	13	139 ¾	—	—
1748	9,204	98,943	12,220	131,365	458	4,923 ½	250	2,687 ½	—	—
1749	10,585	113,788 ¾	17,763	190,952 ¼	1,117	12,007 ¾	136	1,462	—	—
1750	9,256	99,502	17,761	190,930 ¼	1,014	10,900 ½	44	473	—	—
1751	18,845	202,583 ¾	32,053	344,569 ¼	613	6,589 ¾	22	236 ½	—	—
1752	17,796	191,307	30,508	327,961	1,116	11,997	141	1,515 ¼	—	—
1753	13,701	147,285 ½	15,292	164,389	535	5,751 ¼	360	3,870	—	—
1754	12,197	131,117 ¾	17,695	190,221 ¼	399	4,289 ¼	310	3,332 ½	—	—
1755	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1756	7,682	82,581 ½	14,567	156,595 ¼	207	2,225 ¼	192	2,064	—	—
1757	17,032	183,094	12,323	132,472 ¼	328	3,526	1,155	12,416 ¼	—	—
1758	8,135	87,451 ¼	7,438	79,958 ¾	120	1,290	180	1,935	—	—
1759	8,150	87,612 ½	6,842	73,551 ½	468	5,031	156	1,677	—	—
1760	10,839	116,519 ¼	16,863	181,277 ¼	187	2,010 ¼	155	1,666 ¼	—	—
1761	6,347	68,230 ¼	11,418	122,743 ½	144	1,548	420	4,515	—	—
1762	5,201	55,910 ¾	16,105	173,128 ¾	3,266	35,109 ½	1,983	21,317 ¼	—	—
1763	11,838	127,258 ¼	18,705	201,078 ¾	796	8,557	534	5,740 ½	—	—
1764	16,856	181,298 ¾	30,007	322,575 ¼	1,983	21,317 ¼	348	3,741	—	—
1765	17,711	190,393 ¼	26,684	286,853	1,441	15,490 ¾	265	2,848 ¾	—	—
1766	13,546	145,619 ½	21,751	233,823 ¼	1,454	15,630 ½	440	4,730	—	—

Table Third—*continued.*

YEAR.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		PEASE.	
	Lasts.	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*	*Lasts.*	*Quarters.*
1767	14,086	151,424 ½	31,904	342,968	3,906	41,989 ½	1,576	16,942	—	—
1768	18,399	197,789 ¼	32,526	349,654 ½	2,852	30,659	809	8,696 ¾	—	—
1769	11,607	124,775 ¼	34,197	367,617 ¾	2,112	22,704	739	7,944 ¼	—	—
1770	25,038	269,158 ½	36,518	392,568 ½	917	9,857 ¾	75	806 ¼	—	—
1771	16,876	181,417	13,978	150,263 ½	884	9,503	793	8,524 ¾	—	—
1772	14,876	159,917	19,537	210,022 ¾	1,406	15,114 ½	867	9,320 ¼	—	—
1773	10,190	109,542 ½	13,357	143,587 ¼	1,426	15,329 ½	746	8,019 ½	—	—
1774	13,752	147,834	9,260	99,545	1,435	15,426 ¼	984	10,578	—	—
1775	11,759	126,409 ¼	6,842	73,551 ½	1,160	12,470	620	6,665	—	—
1776	9,333	100,329 ½	6,362	68,391 ½	1,670	17,952 ½	867	9,320 ¼	—	—
1777	13,968	150,156	6,608	71,036	108	1,161	147	1,580 ¼	—	—
1778	11,506	123,689 ½	7,386	79,399 ½	1,287	13,835 ¼	1,028	11,051	—	—
1779	10,559	113,509 ¼	7,735	83,151 ¼	1,708	18,361	1,032	11,094	—	—
1780	9,821	105,575 ¾	7,726	83,054 ½	552	5,934	216	2,322	—	—
1781	5,239	56,319 ¼	7,799	83,839 ¼	950	10,212 ½	314	3,375 ½	—	—
1782	3,456	37,152	3,977	42,752 ¾	621	6,675 ¾	85	913 ¾	—	—
1783	16,910	181,782 ½	13,165	141,523 ¾	2,299	24,714 ¼	719	7,729 ¼	—	—
1784	16,604	178,493	13,640	146,630	2,717	29,207 ¾	370	3,977 ½	—	—
1785	14,167	152,295 ¼	21,379	229,824 ¼	2,554	27,455 ½	634	6,815 ½	—	—
1786	7,386	79,399 ½	21,524	231,383	4,661	50,105 ¾	1,382	14,856 ½	—	—
1787	5,431	58,383 ¼	8,398	90,278 ½	2,574	27,670 ½	1,074	11,545 ½	—	—
1788	3,091	41,935 ¾	4,558	48,998 ½	1,665	17,898 ½	1,020	10,965	—	—
1789	8,495	91,321 ¼	13,987	150,360 ¼	1,314	14,125 ½	415	4,461 ¼	—	—
1790	6,904	74,218	8,866	95,309 ½	2,517	27,057 ¾	722	7,761 ½	—	—
1791	12,119	130,279 ¼	10,162	109,241 ½	1,923	20,672 ¼	2,204	23,693	—	—
1792	9,853	105,919 ¾	12,742	136,976 ½	1,800	19,350	1,733	18,629 ¾	—	—
1793	16,555	177,966 ¼	14,672	157,724	1,927	20,715 ¼	384	4,128	—	—
1794	18,773	201,809 ¼	11,495	123,571 ¼	1,559	16,759 ¼	7,212	77,529	469	5,041 ¾
1795	13,774	148,070 ½	179	1,924 ¼	- -	- -	- -	- -	257	2,762 ¾
1796	26,881	288,970 ¼	8,672	93,224	1,512	16,254	14	150 ½	1,276	13,717
1797	23,984	257,828	7,682	82,581 ½	1,637	17,597 ¾	2	21 ½	767	8,245 ¼
1798	26,348	283,241	11,760	126,420	812	8,729	18	193 ½	858	9,223 ½
1799	25,024	269,008	12,653	136,019 ¾	816	8,772	451	4,848 ¼	306	3,289 ½
1800	40,863	439,277 ¼	2,214	23,800 ¼	222	2,386 ½	528	5,676	352	3,784
1801	37,603	404,232 ¼	9,592	103,114	3,599	38,689 ¼	961	10,330 ¾	632	6,794
1802	52,416	563,472	23,622	253,936 ½	1,920	20,640	26	279 ½	867	9,320 ¼
1803	34,149	367,101 ¾	28,871	310,363 ¼	1,209	12,996 ¾	142	1,526 ½	1,015	10,911 ¼
1804	41,787	449,210 ¼	9,324	100,233	2,836	30,487	254	2,730 ½	892	9,589
1805	44,920	482,890	943	10,137 ¼	420	4,515	- -	- -	528	5,676
1806	5,874	63,145 ½	War with England, and Swedish blockade.							—
1807	- -	- -	} Export prohibited by the French.							—
1808	- -	- -								
1809	- -	- -	Export connived at by the French towards the end of the year.							—
1810	19,135	205,701 ¼	Export connived at by the French.							—
1811	4,284	46,053	Export allowed at the beginning of the year by French licences.							—
1812	- -	- -	Export prohibited.							—
1813	- -	- -	The town blockaded and besieged.							—
1814	5,818	62,543 ½	1,261	13,555 ¾	240	2,580	3	32 ¼	249	2,676 ¾
1815	1,479	15,899 ¼	218	2,343 ½	6	64 ½	- -	- -	28	301
1816	12,807	137,675 ¼	3,203	34,432 ¼	432	4,644	61	655 ¼	292	3,139
1817	21,162	227,491 ½	12,915	138,836 ¼	2,491	26,778 ¼	307	3,300 ¼	1,193	12,824 ¾
1818	26,947	289,680 ¼	4,078	43,838 ½	3,803	40,882 ¼	746	8,019 ½	1,252	13,459
1819	11,732	126,119	2,248	24,166	2,906	31,239 ½	473	5,084 ¼	599	6,439 ¼
1820	30,001	322,510 ¾	3,754	40,355 ½	745	8,008 ¼	837	8,997 ¼	445	4,783 ¾
1821	13,072	140,524	969	10,416 ½	361	3,880 ¼	110	1,182 ½	301	3,235 ¾
1822	2,571	27,638 ¼	1,653	17,769 ¼	17	182 ¼	- -	- -	66	709 ½
1823	5,352	57,534	5,367	57,695 ¼	53	569 ¼	- -	- -	89	956 ¾
1824	5,296	56,932	478	5,138 ½	508	5,461	153	1,644 ¼	256	2,752
1825	9,880	106,210	1,250	13,437 ½	2,530	27,197 ½	220	2,365	240	2,580
1826	23,030	247,572 ½	1,287	13,835 ¼	132	1,419	624	6,708	101	1,085 ¾

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Table Third—*continued.*

YEARLY AVERAGE PRICES OF WHEAT AT DANZIG,

per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money.

1703	19/3		1745	22/2		1787	29/2	
4	20/5		6	25/1		8	29/1	
5	17/9		7	24/2		9	43/8	
6	16/5		8	21/1				
7	16/7		9	22/8		1790	40/4	
8	20/2					1	32/10	This appears to be a mistake, but being so in the original, it could not be altered. G. H.
9	42/9		1750	20/8		1	30/3	
			1	20/7		2	29/–	
1710	33/3		2	22/3		3	32/–	
1	25/9		3	21/6		4	36/–	
2	22/10		4	19/1		5	57/9	
3	25/8		5	18/4		6	54/3	
4	37/8		6	23/1		7	33/1	
5	27/7		7	31/–		8	32/10	
6	23/2		8	29/–		9	46/10	
7	22/1		9	23/7				
8	23/2					1800	73/9	
9	23/6		1760	19/–		1	78/11	
			1	19/4		2	53/5	
1720	19/10		2	21/10		3	46/3	
1	16/6		3	21/10		4	53/3	
2	16/5		4	22/3		5	69/10	
3	18/11		5	25/1		6	58/6	
4	18/11		6	26/6		7	–	
5	23/10		7	27/11		8	–	
6	24/3		8	32/3		9	42/10	
7	24/–		9	29/10				
8	20/1					1810	53/4	
9	19/7		1770	23/4		1	36/3	
			1	31/6		2	–	
1730	16/11		2	33/8		3	–	
1	17/7		3	35/8		4	47/5	
2	16/8		4	32/1		5	46/1	
3	16/6		5	33/11		6	57/4	
4	19/9		6	27/6		7	75/8	
5	20/1		7	22/4		8	64/7	
6	22/8		8	23/9		9	43/9	
7	24/–		9	21/10				
8	21/1					1820	33/3	
9	19/6		1780	19/4		1	31/7	
			1	24/9		2	29/1	
1740	33/1		2	26/3		3	26/8	
1	35/3		3	27/5		4	22/9	
2	22/2		4	28/10		5	23/3	
3	18/2		5	30/2		6	23/1	
4	18/5		6	29/2				

British Consulate, Danzig, 20th November 1826.

(signed) *Alex^r Gibsone.*

Table Third—*continued.*

ACCOUNT of Expenses of WHEAT brought from POLAND to DANTZIC.

EXPENSES on about 6,250 Quarters Winchester, of WHEAT, brought from Opatow, not far from Cracow, on this side, in the past Summer; of which:—

About 3,700 Quarters were in craft, engaged on freight, received on board and delivered by measure; and

About 2,550 Quarters were in craft bought for the purpose; and navigated at the expense of the owner of the Wheat.

		pr. Quarter.
Travelling expenses in making the purchases, brokerage, cleaning, turning, attendants, and loading,	about	1/
Freight of the 3,700 Quarters, with bridge money on the passage - 4/11	average ab^{t}	4/6
Expenses of the 2,550 Quarters, say cost of craft, (deducting what they fetched here) wages of crew, victuals, &c. - 4/1		
Duties on the Polish and Prussian borders		1/2
Turning, &c. on the land, upon arrival here and attendance, town and river-dues, porterage into granary, fanning, cleaning, warehouse rent for a full month, till shipped double metage, &c.	about	1/9
Loss on Measure, about 3½ per cent on the former, and about 9½ per cent on the latter parcel, average about 6½ per cent makes on the first cost, then very moderate, of about 16/ per Qr. W^{r}	about	1/
Loss on damaged Grain, which was trifling, as both parcels came in covered craft, and the weather was favourable for turning it in the open air, to bring it into condition	about	/2
Making in all, Expenses *actually incurred*	about	9/7 pr. Qr. W^{r}.
To this must be added, as remuneration or profit to the Merchant in Poland, on the business	at least	1/
Also, additional expenses of turning the Grain on arrival, greater loss on measure and by damage, when the weather is unfavourable, particularly if brought in open craft, as the greater part is	on an average	1/
And the Merchant here cannot have less profit for risk, advance of money, trouble, &c. than		2/
Making the whole Expenses, on an average, fully		13/7 pr. W^{r} qr.

It is to be considered, that the freight last summer was a good deal lower than at present, when craft are more in demand; and in general, that these expenses are taken at a very moderate rate.

The Expenses on Wheat from Vohinia must be somewhat greater than these, as it comes chiefly in open craft, and thence the loss on measure and by damage is greater.

		pr. Quarter.
The Expenses from Warsaw, at the same time may be taken at about 2/6 pr. Qr. less than the foregoing from Opatow; or	at about	11/1
As the freight is lower, and the expenses of turning, the loss on measure and by damage are less.		
The Expenses from the country between Warsaw and Thorn, may, for these reasons, be taken at about 3/ to 3/6 per Quarter less than from Opatow	on the average at about	10/4
The Expenses on Rye, for exportation, cannot be taken at more than about 1/4 per Quarter less than those on Wheat, reckoning on the border duties being only about one-fourth of those on Wheat; and on Barley and Oats not above 1/6 per Quarter less than on Wheat; but these two seldom come from Poland.		

British Consulate, Dantzig,
20th November 1826.

(signed) *Alexander Gibsone.*

Third Table—*continued.*

SHIPPING EXPENSES AT DANTZIG, and SOUND Dues, on	Per Last. WHEAT.	RYE.	BARLEY.	OATS.	PEASE.
	f. *g.*	*f.* *g.*	*f.* *g.*	*f.* *g.*	*f.* *g.*
Metage, Porterage, Lighterage, and petty expenses	8 10	8 10	8 10	8 10	8 10
Town Dues	– 22½	– 15	– 15	– 15	– 15
Sound Dues	5 –	2 15	2 15	1 7	1 7
	14 2½	11 10	11 10	10 2	10 2
Commission 2 per cent on cost and charges.					
Stamps, brokerage of bills, &c. 3/10 per cent.					
Makes per Quarter, Winchester, on	WHEAT.	RYE.	BARLEY.	OATS.	PEASE.
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
Metage, porterage, lighterage, and petty expenses about	– 10	– 10	– 10	– 10	– 10
Town and Sound Dues	– 7	– 3½	– 3½	– 2	– 2
Together, about	1 5	1 1½	1 1½	1 –	1 –
Besides Commission 2 per cent on cost and charges.					
Stamps, brokerage of bills, &c. 3/10 per cent.					

(signed) *Alexander Gibsone.*

British Consulate, Dantzic,
20th November 1826.

4.—ANTWERP.

(N° 21.)—Copy of a DESPATCH from Mr. *Larpent*, dated Antwerp, 19th December 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

SIR, Antwerp, 19th December 1826.

WITH reference to my Despatch, N° 15, of 18th August, and in further answer to your Circular of the 29th June last, relating to the average price of Corn, Grain, &c.

I have the honour to transmit, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, the enclosed document of the average prices at the market of Antwerp, of Rye, from the year 1675 to the year 1825; of Wheat, from the year 1780 to 1825; of Oats, from the year 1788 to the year 1825; of Barley, from the year 1788 to the year 1825; and Buckwheat, ditto to 1825.

This document has been furnished to me by the Burgomaster from the archives of the town, and completes all the information I have been able to obtain.

I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant,

John Bidwell, Esq. *I. J. De H. Larpent.*
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure.)

Average Prices of RYE at the Market of *Antwerp*, since 1675.

Per Mudde (Hectolitre) in Netherlands Money.

1675	*f.* 6.46	1713	*f.* 5.25	1751	*f.* 3.71	1789	*f.* 4.52
76	5.29	14	4.21	52	2.99	90	3.39
77	4.21	15	2.85	53	2.35	91	3.34
78	2.85	16	2.96	54	2.69	92	4.20
79	2.85	17	3.39	55	2.45	93	5.54
80	2.80	18	3.12	56	3.62	94	4.58
81	3.28	19	3.98	57	3.66	95	9.47
82	3.44	20	2.96	58	3.35	96	4.47
83	3.28	21	2.15	59	2.76	97	3.39
84	5.06	22	2.26	60	3.35	98	4.09
85	3.24	23	3.44	61	3.56	99	4.79
86	2.75	24	5.54	62	3.62	1800	4.79
87	2.70	25	3.68	63	3.15	01	5.61
88	2.80	26	4.04	64	3.15	02	8.02
89	3.34	27	3.53	65	3.91	03	4.84
90	3.10	28	3.88	66	3.75	04	4.90
91	3.29	29	2.69	67	2.99	05	5.87
92	5.11	30	2.15	68	3.26	06	5.22
93	6.08	31	2.58	69	3.42	07	4.63
94	4.90	32	2.10	70	4.10	08	4.90
95	3.82	33	2.58	71	4.52	09	4.63
96	5.11	34	2.91	72	3.83	10	4.45
97	6.36	35	2.37	73	3.01	11	5.19
98	11.07	36	2.48	74	4.05	12	7.77
99	6.18	37	2.75	75	3.55	13	5.39
1700	2.99	38	3.12	76	3.02	14	5.64
01	4.07	39	4.64	77	2.72	15	6.09
02	2.96	40	5.52	78	3.01	16	9.15
03	4.96	41	2.92	79	3.01	17	11.27
04	3.71	42	2.31	80	4.84	18	8.65
05	4.31	43	2.16	81	3.75	19	6.78
06	3.28	44	2.51	82	3.78	20	4.76
07	2.99	45	3.44	83	4.07	21	3.66
08	4.04	46	2.80	84	4.20	22	3.59
09	8.99	47	3.28	85	3.82	23	4.79
10	4.31	48	3.28	86	4.25	24	3.00
11	4.04	49	3.74	87	3.93	25	3.35
12	5.11	50	3.05	88	4.31		

Average price in the course of 151 years.

(Enclosure.)—Average Prices of Corn, Grain, &c. in the Market at Antwerp—*continued.*

Average Prices of WHEAT at the Market of *Antwerp*, since 1780.—Calculated as before.

1780 - - - *f.* 6.03	1792 - - - *f.* 6.57	1804 - - - *f.* 8.77	1816 - - *f.* 12.82
81 - - - 5.33	93 - - - 7.86	05 - - - 11.36	17 - - - 17.98
82 - - - 5.58	94 - - - 8.61	06 - - - 7.80	18 - - - 13.85
83 - - - 6.44	95 - - - 17.44	07 - - - 7.05	19 - - - 9.50
84 - - - 6.30	96 - - - 6.78	08 - - - 7.70	20 - - - 8.07
85 - - - 5.97	97 - - - 6.35	09 - - - 8.02	21 - - - 8.05
86 - - - 5.92	98 - - - 6.51	10 - - - 9.20	22 - - - 6.88
87 - - - 6.62	99 - - - 8.24	11 - - - 9.72	23 - - - 7.46
88 - - - 6.67	1800 - - - 7.70	12 - - - 14.17	24 - - - 5.50
89 - - - 7.05	01 - - - 10.02	13 - - - 10.09	25 - - - 5.74
90 - - - 5.92	02 - - - 10.01	14 - - - 9.30	Average price in the
91 - - - 6.03	03 - - - 7.21	15 - - - 8.96	course of 46 years.

Average Price of OATS at the Market of *Antwerp*, since 1788.—Calculated as above.

1788 - - - *f.* 2.16	1798 - - - *f.* 2.37	1808 - - - *f.* 3.70	1818 - - - *f.* 5.24
89 - - - 2.20	99 - - - 2.80	09 - - - 3.73	19 - - - 4.69
90 - - - 2.21	1800 - - - 2.42	10 - - - 3.15	20 - - - 3.44
91 - - - 2.38	01 - - - 2.23	11 - - - 2.95	21 - - - 2.28
92 - - - 2.46	02 - - - 3.58	12 - - - 3.69	22 - - - 2.15
93 - - - 2.47	03 - - - 3.85	13 - - - 3.25	23 - - - 3.20
94 - - - —	04 - - - 4.13	14 - - - 3.00	24 - - - 2.28
95 - - - —	05 - - - 4.11	15 - - - 2.96	25 - - - 2.81
96 - - - —	06 - - - 3.11	16 - - - 3.60	Average price in the
97 - - - —	07 - - - 3.07	17 - - - 5.21	course of 35 years.

Average Price of BARLEY at the Market of *Antwerp*, since 1788.—Calculated as above.

1788 - - - *f.* 4.09	1798 - - - *f.* 4.—	1808 - - - *f.* 5.22	1818 - - - *f.* 7.43
89 - - - 3.72	99 - - - 3.94	09 - - - 4.78	19 - - - 6.59
90 - - - 3.49	1800 - - - 3.81	10 - - - 4.42	20 - - - 4.30
91 - - - 4.42	01 - - - 4.58	11 - - - 4.13	21 - - - 3.43
92 - - - 4.36	02 - - - 6.71	12 - - - 6.45	22 - - - 3.04
93 - - - 4.33	03 - - - 7.33	13 - - - 6.10	23 - - - 4.49
94 - - - —	04 - - - 4.04	14 - - - 4.17	24 - - - 3.16
95 - - - —	05 - - - 5.10	15 - - - 3.98	25 - - - 3.85
96 - - - —	06 - - - 3.88	16 - - - 6.53	Average price in the
97 - - - 3.81	07 - - - 3.58	17 - - - 8.17	course of 35 years.

Average Price of BUCKWHEAT at the Market of *Antwerp*, since 1788.—Calculated as above.

1788 - - - *f.* 3.17	1798 - - - *f.* 3.39	1808 - - - *f.* 5.42	1818 - - - *f.* 8.42
89 - - - 4.14	99 - - - 3.12	09 - - - 4.37	19 - - - 6.40
90 - - - 3.07	1800 - - - 3.20	10 - - - 3.82	20 - - - 5.63
91 - - - 3.12	01 - - - 5.34	11 - - - 4.17	21 - - - 3.87
92 - - - 3.45	02 - - - 5.27	12 - - - 5.92	22 - - - 2.92
93 - - - 3.44	03 - - - 6.44	13 - - - 5.83	23 - - - 4.31
94 - - - —	04 - - - 5.23	14 - - - 4.09	24 - - - 3.20
95 - - - —	05 - - - 4.72	15 - - - 4.37	25 - - - 3.63
96 - - - —	06 - - - 4.92	16 - - - 7.50	Average price in the
97 - - - 3.56	07 - - - 5.20	17 - - - 9.77	course of 35 years.

N. B. The Measure explained in this document is the mudde, which is the Dutch name for the hectolitre, it being the same measure.

28 ½ Mudden, are equal to 10 quarters Winchester measure.

The Netherland guilder is divided into 100 cents. and is equal to the exchange guilder.

f. 11. c. 34 $\frac{17}{100}$ Netherland money, make 1 *l.* sterling, at par.

Antwerp,
16th December 1826.

I. J. De Hochepied Larpent,
Consul.

5.—OSTEND.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Ostend, dated 25th October 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

SIR, British Consulate, Ostend, 25th October 1826.

IN compliance with your desire transmitted to me by your Circular, under date of 29th June last, with regard to the prices and quantities of the different kinds of Grain exported from the Netherlands since the early period of 1700, I beg to inform you that, from the reasons hereafter assigned, I have not had it in my power to bring forward, *for the present*, the statement of early periods, but hope to be able very soon to transmit it to you. I therefore only submit to your consideration the enclosed extract, as bearing solely on the produce, during the present juncture.

I have done every thing in my power to obtain the most extensive and accurate information relative to the prices of Grain at the early periods of the last century, but I am sorry to say that my exertions to have these particulars with exactness have not proved as successful as I could have wished; but I have the gratification to think, that as far as have I gone, reliance may be placed in its correctness.

The various political changes which this country has undergone within the periods designed, renders the researches extremely difficult. The record of *this* province, which are deposited in Bruges, have most materially suffered by the destructive effects of external and internal wars, and the parts that remain are so scattered, that it requires time and much patience to extract from *them* what is required; I must, however, say, that I have met the greatest readiness from the Flemish authorities to assist my inquiries.

Ostend of itself has no market for Grain, nor has Newport. The markets of Bruges and Furnes regulate these *ports*. There exists at this time a more than common activity, not only in these ports, but in the interior. I attribute this partly to the effect of the anticipated opening of the British ports to the importation of Wheat, partly to the action and re-action from the other now importable grains. From what I have myself observed, and from what I have learned from others conversant in the grain trade, I have no hesitation in giving it as my opinion, that with the advance of the season, the prices of all sorts of Corn will in this part of the Netherlands reach much higher than they at present bear.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Langford Heyland.*

To John Bidwell Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Average Price of CORN at the Markets of

BRUGES.				Per Mudde, or Hectolitre.	FURNES.			
1826: Sept. 20th.	Oct. 7th.	Oct. 14th.	Oct. 21st.		Sept. 27th.	Oct. 4th.	Oct. 11th.	Oct. 12th.
fl. 6.87	7.40	7.34	7.40	Wheat	fl. 6.22	6.24	6.28	6.32
4.93	5.17	5.37	5.35	Rye	4.43	4.64	4.71	4.33
3.82	3.91	4.33	4.25	Barley	3.39	3.40	3.40	3.64
3.51	3.51	4.38	3.84	Buckwheat	–	–	–	–
3.06	3.63	3.61	3.39	Oats	2.57	2.56	2.55	2.94
5.18	5.72	5.62	6.29	Beans	–	–	–	–

CHARGES:

Transport from Bruges to Ostend, from 1 *s.* a' 2 *d.* per Hectolitre: Transport from Furnes to Ostend, from 4 ½ *d.* to 6 *d.* per Hectolitre.

Exportation Duty.	Per Last.	Transit Duty on Foreign Corn.
f. 0.60	Wheat	*f.* 2.50
0.50	Rye	1.60
0.40	Barley	2.50
0 60	Buckwheat	2.00
0.30	Oats	1.00
0.60	Beans	2.40

Freight on all sorts of Corn from Ostend to London, 2 *s.* 6 *d.* per quarter, with 10 °/₀.

(signed) *Langford Heyland,*
British Consul.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Ostend, dated December 12th, 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

SIR, British Consulate, Ostend, December 12th, 1826.

IN reference to my Letter of the 25th of October, I have now the honour to transmit herewith the residue of the average prices of Grain, from the year 11 of the French Republic to the present period, as extracted from the most authentic returns I have been able to procure of the market registers of Bruges, Newport and Ostend.

I have the honour to be, &c.

To John Bidwell, Esq. &c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Langford Heyland.*

EXTRACT of the Average Prices of CORN Sold upon the Principal Markets of the Province of *West Flanders*, since the Year 11 of the French Republic (1802–1803), up to the 1st of November 1826.

YEARS.	Average Price per Hectolitre, in Francs.							REMARKS.
	Wheat.	Meslin.	Rye.	Barley.	Buckwheat.	Amet Corn.	Oats.	
11 -	*f.* 18.45	*f.* 16.16	*f.* 14.28	*f.* 12.82	*f.* 12.72	–	*f.* 8.55	
12 -	15.53	13.15	10.37	10.49	11.89	–	7.68	
13 -	21.57	14.78	12.66	13.67	11.24	–	6.68	
14 -	22.21	14.57	12.19	10.44	10.82	–	7.52	Of the months of Vendemaire and Brumaire, and of ten days of Ventose, year 14, nor of Frumaire, there are any records in existence.
1806 -	17.12	13.06	10.63	8.21	10.82	–	6.63	
1807 -	16.12	12.74	10.54	8.32	10.78	–	6.76	
1808 -	17.82	14.35	11.84	11.92	11.55	–	8.05	
1809 -	16.35	13.31	10.69	11.41	9.93	–	7.47	
1810 -	19.86	15.52	11.84	11.85	10.46	–	7.29	
1811 -	21.71	16.76	11.83	9.50	10.30	–	7.24	
1812 -	30.58	23.96	18.18	15.12	14.92	–	8.05	
1813 -	21.93	17.21	11.50	12.64	13.36	–	7.12	There exist likewise no records that show the average price of Corn during the month of July 1813; and the same observation is applicable to December 1813, and the first four months of the year 1814.
1814 -	18.27	15.26	11.36	9.30	9.65	–	7.09	
1815 -	19.35	15.84	11.85	9.61	9.90	10.58	7.23	
1816 -	24.33	19.09	15.25	12.48	15.04	14.56	7.72	
1817 -	40.08	32.59	23.66	18.13	19.87	16.02	11.78	
1818 -	29.67	26.45	18.11	15.80	16.02	12.88	10.49	
1819 -	18.39	15.42	11.74	13.77	13.56	10.39	9.43	
1820 -	15.30	12.50	9.33	8.65	12.14	7.83	7.47	
1821 -	16.46	12.76	8.42	6.94	8.55	7.87	5.26	
1822 -	14.37	10.89	7.64	5.90	6.64	7.76	5.26	
1823 -	14.11	13.10	9.14	9.26	8.59	12.50	6.62	
1824 -	11.42	7.59	6.09	6.53	6.30	7.38	4.61	
1825 -	12.63	8.84	6.87	7.47	7.21	7.55	5.82	
1826 -	13.71	10.96	9.84	7.38	8.42	7.80	6.58	

(signed) *Langford Heyland,*
British Consul for Ostend.

6.—BOULOGNE.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Boulogne, dated 31st January 1827.—(Two Enclosures.)

SIR, British Consulate, Boulogne, 31st January 1827.

I HAVE, in compliance with your Circular of the 29th June last, to transmit to you for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, an account of the average price of Corn sold in the market-place of Boulogne-sur-Mer, from the year 1700 to the year 1826, both inclusive; also an exact statement of the several sorts of Grain, and the quantities thereof, imported annually from this port, from the year 1817 to the year 1827.

I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient humble servant,

John Bidwell, Esq. *W. Hamilton.*
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure, N° 1.)

The Average Price of CORN, sold in the Market of *Boulogne-sur-Mer*, in France, from the Year 1700 to the Year 1826, both inclusive.

YEARS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	YEARS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
	Livs. sols. dens.	*Livs. sols. dens.*	*Livs. sols. dens.*		*Livs. sols. dens.*	*Livs. sols. dens.*	*Livs. sols. dens.*
1700 -	12 2 3	5 15 9	4 8 6	1729 -	12 4 4	7 5 11	6 11 8
1701 -	7 17 –	4 16 10	4 2 3	1730 -	17 6 1	9 4 8	6 7 1
1702 -	7 8 3	4 18 11	3 13 –	1731 -	10 4 6	8 3 7	6 17 4
1703 -	11 4 9	6 10 7	3 8 3	1732 -	10 13 3	7 8 6	5 2 5
1704 -	9 4 7	4 18 10	4 10 –	1733 -	13 12 10	7 19 4	5 4 8
1705 -	7 14 8	4 18 9	4 14 9	1734 -	15 3 2	8 11 7	6 12 1
1706 -	7 4 3	5 – 8	5 – –	1735 -	14 13 2	8 1 4	5 12 9
1707 -	10 11 8	6 5 11	5 7 2	1736 -	14 13 –	7 4 11	4 18 3
1708 -	33 15 –	21 5 –	7 18 9	1737 -	14 11 8	8 2 5	6 9 7
1709 -	35 15 –	19 19 6	7 12 6	1738 -	18 18 1	9 14 4	6 14 9
1710 -	14 11 3	8 16 3	8 8 9	1739 -	25 9 4	15 – –	8 19 10
1711 -	17 – –	10 9 2	9 1 9	1740 -	48 18 –	18 16 –	16 13 4
1712 -	22 6 –	12 7 4	9 9 7	1741 -	15 10 –	8 10 –	7 18 3
1713 -	26 6 3	13 7 6	7 18 3	1742 -	10 3 6	7 10 1	6 10 6
1714 -	12 9 5	7 6 11	6 7 4	1743 -	10 17 1	7 14 1	6 10 11
1715 -	9 9 9	5 4 6	4 1 5	1744 -	12 2 1	7 19 7	7 8 3
1716 -	10 17 9	4 19 9	3 15 10	1745 -	14 17 8	8 15 3	6 4 5
1717 -	10 17 3	5 13 9	3 17 7	1746 -	13 16 9	8 11 8	6 – 10
1718 -	11 19 9	8 9 6	6 4 7	1747 -	13 18 9	7 12 11	5 15 3
1719 -	15 7 3	10 17 5	10 1 9	1748 -	14 17 8	8 15 3	7 4 5
1720 -	13 2 6	7 3 3	6 – 3	1749 -	16 16 2	9 10 8	6 8 2
1721 -	13 14 7	6 14 2	5 18 9	1750 -	13 18 1	8 8 10	6 8 2
1722 -	17 5 10	8 5 6	7 3 4	1751 -	21 5 9	10 17 2	8 19 5
1723 -	15 11 –	10 6 8	9 5 4	1752 -	20 5 5	10 7 6	7 – 5
1724 -	28 12 6	12 – –	8 10 –	1753 -	14 11 10	9 – 4	6 19 7
1725 -	20 16 8	10 5 5	5 14 10	1754 -	14 1 4	9 4 2	7 – –
1726 -	14 – –	9 5 –	6 14 9	1755 -	11 6 2	8 12 6	7 – 6
1727 -	9 17 3	6 13 6	6 5 3	1756 -	25 16 6	13 12 7	9 6 8
1728 -	17 8 11	10 2 9	7 13 6	1757 -	16 18 10	10 1 10	8 17 –

(Enclosure, N° 1.)—Average Price of Corn sold in the Market of Boulogne-sur-Mer—*continued.*

YEARS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
	Livs. sols. dens.	*Livs. sols. dens.*	*Livs. sols. dens.*
1758 -	14 17 9	9 2 5	6 11 1
1759 -	13 9 2	10 13 6	8 – 9
1760 -	15 18 9	9 13 8	7 1 2
1761 -	21 7 11	4 7 11	8 17 3
1762 -	16 16 11	11 – 11	8 8 1
1763 -	14 13 3	8 1 5	6 4 2
1764 -	18 10 –	10 1 11	7 3 6
1765 -	19 19 9	12 8 –	7 14 11
1766 -	23 12 6	12 18 4	8 16 9
1767 -	33 9 3	16 8 10	9 4 5
1768 -	26 4 10	12 8 –	5 11 3
1769 -	20 18 11	12 11 9	9 18 4
1770 -	24 13 5	14 2 9	9 3 10
1771 -	32 6 3	16 10 10	11 10 5
1772 -	26 2 10	15 5 –	10 7 –
1773 -	21 13 8	12 18 2	7 12 1
1774 -	24 19 3	13 7 1	9 2 6
1775 -	21 3 6	13 5 8	8 12 1
1776 -	20 18 11	12 11 9	9 18 4
1777 -	19 8 2	12 3 4	9 2 –
1778 -	16 6 11	12 5 4	8 12 10
1779 -	17 10 –	12 10 –	9 10 –
1780 -	21 6 8	13 – –	9 10 –
1781 -	20 6 8	13 10 6	9 10 –
1782 -	22 3 4	14 – –	10 10 –
1783 -	26 9 4	17 1 1	9 19 7
1784 -	21 10 –	15 – –	11 – –
1785 -	20 – –	13 10 –	8 10 –
1786 -	23 – –	15 10 –	9 – –
1787 -	27 – –	15 – –	9 – –
1788 -	36 4 9½	18 13 6	11 1 1
1789 -	20 10 –	12 – –	9 – –
1790 -	25 19 5	14 8 11	10 18 7
1791 -	30 8 7	17 2 1	11 19 9
1792 -	40 5 7	20 10 3	13 4 7
1793 -	in warehouses.		*
1794 -	in warehouses.		–
1795 -	44 12 5	23 13 7	12 3 6
1796 -	26 6 8	14 19 8	9 9 10
1797 -	20 5 –	13 3 2	10 14 1
1798 -	26 19 10	15 18 8	11 9 7
1799 -	32 16 9	14 19 11	9 19 5
1800 -	37 6 3	15 17 –	9 5 –
1801 -	45 5 –	24 18 8	14 12 10
	Francs. Cents.	*Francs. Cents.*	*Francs. Cents.*
1802 -	15 20	14 59	10 8
1803 -	16 22	11 33	10 36
1804 -	25 15	16 37	13 20
1805 -	21 97	12 75	8 52
1806 -	16 67	9 20	5 75
1807 -	16 76	9 81	7 25
1808 -	17 55	10 95	8 29
1809 -	16 15	9 51	7 35
1810 -	19 38	10 36	6 83
1811 -	23 23	10 69	6 50
1812 -	34 8	18 19	8 56
1813 -	20 44	11 75	6 –
1814 -	14 41	7 25	6 8
1815 -	16 17	8 95	7 15
1816 -	28 32	14 28	8 29
1817 -	32 43	20 7	12 12
1818 -	23 18	9 50	9 7
1819 -	17 41	- -	7 34
1820 -	17 5	- -	7 55
1821 -	18 3	- -	6 83
1822 -	20 74	- -	6 –
1823 -	16 7	- -	8 45
1824 -	14 93	- -	5 95
1825 -	17 21	- -	7 34
1826 -	15 98	- -	7 79

Observations:

* During the years 1793 and 1794, for want of markets, the Corn required was placed in warehouses. From 1700 to 1801, Corn was sold by * septier, a measure of the place containing 16 bushels; since 1802, Corn has been sold by the † hectolitre, and in francs, to give an equivalent to the old and new measure. It should be observed that two hectolitres make 20 gallons.

* One septier, old Boulogne measure, is equal to one hectolitre 68 $\frac{874}{1000}$.

† Three hectolitres are equal to one imperial quarter British measure, as near as possible.

	Qualities.	Qualities.	Qualities.
Loads of Corn - - -	1 - - 275.	1 - - 200.	1 - - 160.
	2 - - 270.	2 - - 197.	2 - - 155.
	3 - - 260.	3 - - 190.	3 - - 150.

W. Hamilton,
Consul.

(Enclosure, N° 2.)

AN ACCOUNT of the Quantity of CORN exported from the Port of *Boulogne-sur-Mer*, from the Year 1817 to the Year 1826, both inclusive.

YEARS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	RYE.	DESTINATION.	OBSERVATIONS.
1817	—	—	—	—	—	50 Killogrammes are equal to one English hundred weight.
1818	—	—	—	—	—	
1819	—	—	—	9,560 kilo.	Norway.	Freight from Boulogne to London from 20 s. to 25 s per ton.
1820	1,790 kilo.	—	—	200 ditto	ditto.	The only expense affecting the passage of Corn through this port, is an export duty of 25 centimes per 100 kilogrammes, levied by the Customs.
1821	—	—	—	—	—	
1822	—	—	78,200 kilo.	—	England.	
1823	—	—	—	—	—	
1824	—	—	—	—	—	
1825	—	—	—	—	—	
1826	1,150 kilo.	—	694,441 kilo.	26,312 kilo.	England.	

W. Hamilton,
Consul.

7.—BORDEAUX.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Bordeaux, dated November the 18th, 1826.—(Two Enclosures.)

His Majesty's Consulate, Bordeaux,
November 18th, 1826.

SIR,

IN answer to your Despatch, dated June 29th, which I received on the 17th July, I beg leave to transmit to you an Account, marked N° 1, of the prices of the several sorts of Grain within my district, from the year 1794 to the present time; and also, an Account, marked N° 2, of the average price of Wheat at this place (as far as I have been able to ascertain it) from the year 1700 to the present time.

The extreme difficulty which has attended my acquiring the information required, and disappointments in promises of assistance from the Prefect of this department, have ocasioned the delay which has taken place in complying with Mr. Secretary Canning's instructions.

With respect to the quantity of Grain exported annually from this port, the Director of the Customs, in answer to my application for information, states that the registers of his administration being only kept for three preceeding years, there are no means of giving an account for any greater period; but he at the same time declines giving any information taken from the books of his department, unless authorized so to do by the Director General.

I am &c.

(signed) *H. Scott.*

John Bidwell Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure, N° 1.)—AN ACCOUNT of the Prices of the several Sorts of GRAIN

YEARS.	FRENCH: Measure.	FRENCH: Weight.	Wheat.	Rye.	Beans.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	French Beans.	Peas.	Lentils.
			Livres. Sous.	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*	*Livres. Sous.*
1794	Quintal	Livres 100	16 10	13 10	12 4	11 10	10 1	18 3	– –	– –	– –
1795	–	–	15 13	12 15	11 –	10 10	9 –	9 5	16 10	– –	– –
1796	–	–	13 15	9 5	7 10	7 12	6 12	8 14	11 10	– –	– –
1797	–	–	13 19	9 5	7 8	8 16	7 4	6 13	14 17	– –	– –
1798	–	–	16 1	10 1	8 14	9 –	8 5	11 3	14 10	– –	– –
1799	–	–	18 –	12 12	11 19	11 2	12 14	12 17	15 15	– –	– –
1800	–	–	18 7	13 2	9 19	12 10	12 –	10 10	15 16	– –	– –
1801	–	–	18 8	13 7	10 6	13 1	12 –	10 13	15 15	– –	– –
1802	–	–	15 8	11 4	8 7	8 12	10 5	9 7	13 –	– –	– –
			Frs. Cents.	*Francs.*	*Francs.*	*Francs.*	*Francs.*	*Francs.*	*Francs.*	*Frs. Cents.*	*Frs. Cents.*
1803	Hectolitre	80 kilogcs	22 45	15 75	13 80	11 70	10 50	9 10	24 85	– –	– –
1804	–	–	19 25	12 65	13 75	15 65	9 95	11 05	36 40	– –	– –
1805	–	–	20 60	12 10	10 95	11 75	9 50	9 05	24 –	– –	– –
1806	–	–	23 25	13 95	12 30	13 05	10 70	9 20	26 90	– –	– –
1807	–	–	23 50	15 55	11 45	11 90	11 05	10 15	22 20	– –	– –
1808	–	–	18 60	11 90	10 20	10 45	9 85	9 05	21 10	– –	– –
1809	–	–	14 85	9 95	8 15	8 40	8 80	8 30	24 60	– –	– –
1810	–	–	19 30	13 15	10 05	10 50	9 35	9 25	27 80	– –	– –
1811	–	–	27 25	18 70	15 05	13 90	14 15	10 55	20 65	– –	– –
1812		–	38 65	26 20	20 30	17 75	30 –	11 30	23 25	– –	– –
1813	–	–	21 40	14 90	11 85	11 60	12 30	10 20	22 85	– –	– –
1814	–	–	19 20	12 60	8 70	12 90	8 50	7 35	22 95	– –	– –
1815	–	–	21 15	13 60	10 40	14 85	9 20	8 10	22 55	– –	– –
1816	–	–	27 55	18 75	13 40	20 25	13 95	9 10	22 30	– –	– –
1817	–	–	34 55	24 65	21 80	21 90	19 40	10 05	28 50	– –	– –
1818	–	–	28 95	18 55	19 –	16 65	14 55	9 30	22 15	– –	– –
1819	–	–	20 90	12 10	10 85	10 60	9 45	7 95	15 15	– –	– –
1820	–	–	19 05	10 95	9 50	8 80	8 40	8 65	16 20	– –	– –
1821	–	–	18 10	11 25	8 55	10 80	7 70	7 30	15 35	– –	– –
1822	–	–	16 35	10 90	9 45	10 20	7 25	7 20	15 25	20 10	20 70
1823	–	–	17 95	11 70	9 80	10 10	8 60	8 45	15 25	20 70	19 50
1824	–	–	16 60	10 60	9 15	9 50	8 25	7 20	16 20	22 80	21 60
1825	–	–	14 80	9 30	9 30	9 60	7 60	6 95	18 75	25 40	21 90
1826	–	–	15 40	9 60	10 35	10 –	8 15	7 55	19 15	28 85	30 15

Bordeaux,
18th November 1826.

within His Majesty's Consulate at *Bordeaux*, from the Year 1794 up to the present time.

PRICE IN STERLING MONEY, at the Par of Exchange, per Winchester Quarter, of Eight Bushels:									QUANTITIES EXPORTED ANNUALLY.	REMARKS.
Wheat.	Rye.	Beans.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	French Beans.	Peas.	Lentils.		
£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
2 15 –	2 5 –	2 – 8	1 18 4	1 13 6	3 – 6	—	—	—	This information cannot be obtained.	There are four quintals to an English quarter.
2 12 2	2 2 6	1 16 8	1 15 –	1 10 –	1 10 10	2 15 –	—	—		There are about 280 hectolitres of Wheat to 100 English quarters.
2 5 10	1 10 10	1 5 –	1 5 4	1 2 –	1 9 –	1 18 4	—	—		There are about 272 hectolitres of all other Grain to 100 English Quarters.
2 6 6	1 10 10	1 4 8	1 9 4	1 4 –	1 2 2	2 9 6	—	—		
2 13 6	1 13 6	1 9 –	1 10 –	1 7 6	1 17 2	2 8 4	—	—		
3 – –	2 2 –	1 19 10	1 17 –	2 2 4	2 2 10	2 12 6	—	—		
3 1 2	2 3 8	1 13 2	2 1 8	2 2 –	1 15 –	2 12 8	—	—		
2 1 4	2 4 6	1 14 4	2 3 6	2 – 2	1 15 6	2 12 6	—	—		
2 11 4	1 17 4	1 7 10	1 8 8	1 14 2	1 11 2	2 3 4	—	—		
2 12 4 1/2	1 15 8 1/3	1 11 3 1/3	1 6 6 1/6	1 3 9 7/12	1 – 7 1/2	2 14 7 1/6	—	—		
2 4 11	1 8 8	1 11 2	1 15 5 7/12	1 2 6 7/12	1 5 – 1/2	4 2 6	—	—		
2 8 1 1/3	1 7 5 1/12	1 4 9 2/3	1 6 7 7/12	1 1 6 1/3	1 – 6 1/2	2 14 4 2/3	—	—		
2 14 3	1 11 7 1/3	1 7 10 1/2	1 9 6 7/8	1 4 3	1 – 10 1/6	3 – 11 7/12	—	—		
2 14 10	1 15 2 3/4	1 5 11 1/3	1 6 11 1/2	1 5 – 1/2	1 3 –	2 10 3 1/4	—	—		
2 3 4 1/4	1 6 11 1/2	1 3 1 1/3	1 3 8 1/6	1 2 3 7/8	1 – 6 1/12	2 7 9 7/8	—	—		
1 14 7 1/4	1 2 6 7/12	– 18 5 7/12	– 19 – 1/3	– 19 11 1/4	– 17 1 2/3	2 15 9 1/12	—	—		
2 5 – 1/3	1 9 9 1/2	1 2 9 1/4	1 3 9 7/12	1 1 2 1/4	1 – 11 7/12	3 3 – 1/12	—	—		
3 3 7	2 2 4 1/2	1 14 1 1/4	1 11 6	1 12 – 1/4	1 3 10 7/8	2 6 9 7/12	—	—		
4 1 10 1/6	2 19 4 1/2	2 6 – 1/12	2 – 2 1/4	3 8 –	1 5 7 1/4	2 12 8 1/3	—	—		
2 9 11	1 13 9 1/6	1 6 1 1/4	1 6 3 1/2	1 7 10 1/2	1 3 1 1/3	2 11 9 1/2	—	—		
2 4 9 1/4	1 8 6 2/3	– 19 8 7/12	1 9 2 6/8	– 19 3 1/6	– 16 7 7/8	2 12 – 1/6	—	—		
2 9 4 1/6	1 10 9 5/6	1 3 6 1/4	1 13 7 7/8	1 – 1 1/6	– 18 4 1/3	2 11 1 1/4	—	—		
3 4 3 1/3	2 2 6	1 10 4 1/3	2 5 10 6/8	1 11 7 1/3	1 – 7 1/2	2 10 6 1/2	—	—		
4 – 7 1/3	2 15 10 1/3	2 9 4 7/8	2 9 7 7/12	2 3 11 7/12	1 2 9 1/4	3 4 7 1/6	—	—		
3 7 6 1/2	2 2 – 1/2	2 3 – 3/4	1 17 8 6/8	1 12 11 2/3	1 1 – 7/8	2 10 2 1/3	—	—		
2 8 9 1/6	1 7 5 1/4	1 4 7 1/12	1 4 – 1/4	1 1 5	– 18 – 1/6	1 14 4	—	—		
2 4 5 1/3	1 4 9 2/3	1 1 6 1/3	– 19 11 1/4	– 19 – 1/3	– 19 7 1/6	1 16 8 7/12	—	—		
2 8 10 1/4	1 5 6	– 19 4 1/2	1 4 5 2/3	– 17 5 1/3	– 16 6 1/2	1 14 9 1/2	—	—		
1 18 1 3/4	1 4 8 1/3	1 1 5	1 3 1 1/3	– 16 5 1/6	– 16 6 2/3	1 14 6 2/3	2 5 6 2/3	2 6 11		
2 1 1 1/2	1 6 6 1/6	1 2 2 1/2	1 2 10 2/3	– 19 5 7/8	– 19 1 2/3	1 14 6 2/3	2 6 11	2 4 2 1/3		
1 18 8 2/3	1 4 – 1/4	1 8 – 1/2	1 1 6 1/3	– 18 8 1/3	– 16 3 2/3	1 16 8 7/12	2 11 8 1/12	2 8 11 1/2		
1 14 6 1/3	1 1 – 7/8	1 1 – 7/8	1 1 9 1/12	– 17 2 2/3	– 15 9	2 2 6	2 17 6 2/3	2 9 7 7/12		
1 15 11 1/6	1 1 9 1/12	1 3 5 1/2	1 2 8	– 18 5 7/12	– 17 1 1/4	2 3 4 2/3	3 5 4 2/3	3 8 4		

(signed) *H. Scott.*

(Enclosure, N° 2.)

AN ACCOUNT of the Average Price of WHEAT within His Majesty's Consulate at *Bordeaux*, from the Year 1700 up to the present time; viz.

YEARS.	FRENCH. Measure.	FRENCH. Weight.	Price in French Money. *Livres.* *Sous.*	Price in Sterling Money at the par of Exchange, per Winchester Quarter of Eight Bushels. £ *s.* *d.*	REMARKS.
1700	Boisseau	120 livres	8 14	1 4 2	
1703	–	–	6 16	– 18 10 1/2	No records for 1701 and 1702.
1704	–	–	7 9	1 – 8 1/4	
1705	–	–	5 16	– 16 1 1/4	
1706	–	–	4 13	– 12 11	
1707	–	–	5 13	– 15 8 1/4	
1708	–	–	6 11	– 18 2 1/4	
1709	–	–	13 –	1 16 1 1/4	
1710	–	–	12 11	1 14 10 1/4	No records for 1711, 1712, 1713 and 1714.
1715	–	–	5 15	– 16 4 2/3	
1716	–	–	6 10	– 18 1 2/3	
1717	–	–	5 13	– 15 8 1/4	
1718	–	–	6 2	– 16 11 1/4	
1719	–	–	8 19	1 4 10 1/4	
1720	–	–	9 18	1 7 6	
1721	–	–	8 13	1 4 – 1/4	
1722	–	–	9 19	1 7 7 1/6	
1723	–	–	9 18	1 7 6	No records for 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727 and 1728.
1729	–	–	8 15	1 4 8 2/3	
1730	–	–	8 9	1 3 5 1/4	
1731	–	–	8 5	1 2 11	
1732	–	–	6 18	– 19 2	Three boisseaux and one-third makes an English quarter.
1733	–	–	7 15	1 1 6 1/4	
1734	–	–	8 19	1 4 10 1/4	
1735	–	–	8 –	1 2 2 1/2	
1736	–	–	7 15	1 1 1	
1737	–	–	9 –	1 5 –	
1738	–	–	10 5	1 8 5 2/3	
1739	–	–	10 6	1 8 7 1/2	
1740	–	–	10 5	1 8 5 2/3	
1741	–	–	9 14	1 6 11 1/4	
1742	–	–	10 19	1 10 5	
1743	–	–	8 10	1 3 7 1/4	
1744	–	–	7 3	– 19 10 1/4	
1745	–	–	7 1	– 19 7	
1746	–	–	8 3	1 2 7 2/3	
1747	–	–	12 12	1 15 –	
1748	–	–	13 18	1 18 7 1/4	
1749	–	–	11 7	1 11 6 1/4	
1750	–	–	10 19	1 10 5	
1751	–	–	12 12	1 15 –	
1752	–	–	12 5	1 14 – 1/4	
1753	–	–	9 16	1 7 2 2/3	
1754	–	–	8 –	1 2 2 1/2	
1755	–	–	7 –	– 19 5 1/4	
1756	–	–	8 2	1 2 6	
1757	–	–	9 18	1 7 6	
1758	–	–	11 10	1 11 11 1/4	
1759	–	–	13 8	1 17 2 2/3	
1760	–	–	12 8	1 14 5 1/4	
1761	–	–	10 15	1 9 10 1/4	
1762	–	–	9 14	1 6 11 1/4	
1763	–	–	10 18	1 10 3 1/4	
1764	–	–	11 7	1 11 6 1/4	
1765	–	–	12 3	1 13 9	
1766	–	–	13 15	1 18 2 1/4	
1767	–	–	13 8	1 17 2 2/3	
1768	–	–	13 5	1 16 9 2/3	
1769	–	–	14 10	2 – 3 1/4	
1770	–	–	15 18	2 4 2	
1771	–	–	15 17	2 4 – 1/4	
1772		–	16 10	2 5 10	

Account of the Average Price of Wheat within His Majesty's Consulate at Bordeaux—*continued*.

YEARS.	FRENCH: Measure.	FRENCH: Weight.	Price in French Money.	Price in Sterling Money at the par of Exchange per Winchester Quarter of Eight Bushels.	REMARKS.
			Livres. *Sous.*	£. *s.* *d.*	
1773	Boisseau	120 Livres	15 19	2 4 3 2/3	
1774	–	–	14 8	2 – –	
1775	–	–	13 16	1 18 4	
1776	–	–	12 10	1 14 8 2/3	
1777	–	–	14 7	1 19 10 1/4	
1778	–	–	14 –	1 18 10 1/2	
1779	–	–	11 9	1 11 9 2/3	
1780	–	–	11 7	1 11 6 1/4	
1781	–	–	13 10	1 17 6	
1782	–	–	16 2	2 4 8 2/3	
1783	–	–	15 8	2 2 9 1/4	
1784	–	–	13 8	1 17 2 2/3	
1785	–	–	14 19	2 1 6 1/4	
1786	–	–	15 10	2 3 – 2/3	
1787	–	–	14 19	2 1 6 1/4	
1788	–	–	16 2	2 4 8 2/3	
1789	–	–	19 –	2 12 9 1/4	
1790	–	–	18 10	2 11 4 2/3	
1791	–	–	17 4	2 7 9 1/4	
1792	–	–	21 15	3 – 5	
1793	–	–	30 15	4 5 5	
1794	Quintal	–	16 10	2 15 –	
1795	–	–	15 13	2 12 2	4 Quintals make an English quarter.
1796	–	–	13 15	2 5 10	
1797	–	–	13 19	2 6 6	
1798	–	–	16 1	2 13 6	
1799	–	–	18 –	3 – –	
1800	–	–	18 7	3 1 2	
1801	–	–	18 8	3 1 4	
1802	–	–	15 8	2 11 4	
			Francs. *Cents.*		
1803	Hectolitre	Kils. 80	22 45	2 12 4 1/2	
1804	–	–	19 25	2 4 11	There are about 280 hectolitres of Wheat to 100 English quarters.
1805	–	–	20 60	2 8 1 1/4	
1806	–	–	23 25	2 14 3	
1807	–	–	23 50	2 14 10	
1808	–	–	18 60	2 3 4 3/4	
1809	–	–	14 85	1 14 7 5/6	
1810	–	–	19 30	2 5 – 1/3	
1811	–	–	27 25	3 3 7	
1812	–	–	38 65	4 1 10 1/6	
1813	–	–	21 40	2 9 11	
1814	–	–	19 20	2 4 9 1/2	
1815	–	–	21 15	2 9 4 1/6	
1816	–	–	27 55	3 4 3 1/3	
1817	–	–	34 55	4 – 7 1/3	
1818	–	–	28 95	3 7 6 1/2	
1819	–	–	20 90	2 8 9 1/6	
1820	–	–	19 05	2 4 5 1/6	
1821	–	–	18 10	2 8 10 1/4	
1822	–	–	16 35	1 18 1 5/6	
1823	–	–	17 95	2 1 1 1/2	
1824	–	–	16 60	1 18 8 1/4	
1825	–	–	14 80	1 14 6 1/3	
1826	–	–	15 40	1 15 11 1/6	

Bordeaux,
November 18th, 1826.

(signed) *H. Scott.*

8.—MARSEILLES.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Marseilles, dated 11th December 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

SIR, British Consulate, Marseilles, 11th December 1826.

IN reference to your circular Despatch of the 29th June last, instructing me to transmit to Mr. Secretary Canning various returns respecting the prices of Corn, &c. and the quantities exported during a series of years, I have now the honour to enclose to you a Return, which I have made up, of the average prices of Corn and Oats of the southern provinces of France, at Marseilles, from the year 1815 to 1825, both inclusive, so far as the same can be ascertained; marking the price at the end of each quarter during that period.

With respect to the return of the quantities of Wheat "exported" from the ports within this Consulate during a series of years, I beg to acquaint you, that the Wheat of the southern provinces of France is very seldom exported from this coast; and if any has been exported since the peace, it must have been in so very trifling a quantity as not to come within the object of the return required.

I regret that it has not been in my power to procure an account of the average price of Wheat in the southern provinces of France, from the year 1700 to the present time. It may be possible for me to procure the return of a certain portion of that period, on incurring an expense in so doing; but which I do not feel myself authorized to incur without your further instructions.

I shall take care to state in my next return, in addition to the particulars respecting foreign Corn, which I am now in the habit of forwarding to the Foreign Office at the end of every quarter, such expenses (as required by your Despatch) as may affect the passage of Corn through the country to the outports, for which purpose I am collecting the materials.

I have the honour to be, &c.

To John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *Alexander Turnbull.*
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure.)

RETURN of the Average Prices of WHEAT and OATS of the Southern Provinces of France, at *Marseilles*, from the Year 1815 to the Year 1825, both inclusive; so far as the same can be ascertained, made up at the end of each Quarter.

1815:		Per Charge.	1815:		Per Charge.
June 30	WHEAT	*f.* 46.46	June 30	OATS	*f.* 23.
September 30	–	53.72	September 30	–	27.
December 31	–	52.38	December 31	–	26.
1816:			1816:		
March 31	–	56.	March 31	–	27.80
June 30	–	58.	June 30	–	31.
September 30	–	52.80	September 30	–	27.77
December 31	–	64.70	December 31	–	32.69
1817:			1817:		
March 31	–	69.54	March 31	–	37.31
June 30	–	71.	June 30	–	37.46
September 30	–	59.07	September 30	–	36.85
December 31	–	60.69	December 31	–	36.85
1818:			1818:		
March 31	–	60.	March 31	–	35.
June 30	–	wanting.	June 30	–	wanting.
September 30	–	wanting.	September 30	–	wanting.
December 31	–	wanting.	December 31	–	*f.* 26.36
1819:			1819:		
March 31	–	wanting.	March 31	–	25.31
June 30	–	wanting.	June 30	–	22.31
September 30	–	wanting.	September 30	–	22.08
December 31	–	*f.* 38.	December 31	–	19.85
1820:			1820:		
March 31	–	40.43	March 31	–	23.64
June 30	–	36.	June 30	–	25.85
September 30	–	40.38	September 30	–	27.38
December 31	–	41.23	December 31	–	25.77
1821:			1821:		
March 31	–	40.85	March 31	–	25.54
June 30	–	39.85	June 30	–	23.69
September 30	–	40.	September 30	–	22.15
December 31	–	40.	December 31	–	21.92
1822:			1822:		
March 31	–	37.46	March 31	–	21.80
June 30	–	40.62	June 30	–	22.30
September 30	–	41.38	September 30	–	25.30
December 31	–	40.92	December 31	–	25.15
1823:			1823:		
March 31	–	44.08	March 31	–	26.40
June 30	–	42.77	June 30	–	28.30
September 30	–	39.	September 30	–	24.
December 31	–	39.23	December 31	–	22.
1824:			1824:		
March 31	–	39.92	March 31	–	23.
June 30	–	40.38	June 30	–	22.40
September 30	–	37.62	September 30	–	22.
December 31	–	36.57	December 31	–	22.
1825:			1825:		
March 31	–	37.33	March 31	–	22.83
June 30	–	36.85	June 30	–	22.
September 30	–	35.71	September 30	–	23.
December 31	–	35.45	December 31	–	22.55

Marseilles, 11th December 1826.

Alex^r Turnbull, Consul.

9.—CORUNNA.

Copy of a DESPATCH from His Majesty's Consul at Corunna, dated London, 14th December 1826.—(Three Enclosures.)

SIR, London, 14th December 1826.

I Enclose, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, the Copy of a Report, with its Enclosures, which I have received from Mr. Montalvan, acting Vice Consul at Santander, on the subject of the Corn trade.

Santander is the chief port in the Spanish peninsula for the shipment of Flour and Grain.

I have the honour, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *Richard Bartlett*,
&c. &c. &c. H. M. Consul, Corunna.

Report upon the subject of the Corn Trade at *Santander*.

Province of Santander.

This province scarcely yeilds sufficient grain to maintain the inhabitants; consequently the exportations that are annually made of this article through the port of Santander, and those of Limpias and Requejada, in this province, are all from the produce of the two provinces of New and Old Castile, from whence it is conveyed to these ports on mules, and in carts drawn by oxen. Reynosa, a town twelve leagues distant from Santander, is the granary or depôt where the wheat that is shipped at the ports of Requejada and Santander is collected. There are agents or commission-merchants established there, who avail themselves of every opportunity that can render more economical the collection of grain, and the expenses of its carriage to the above ports. It is at the entrance of the spring that the purchases of wheat are generally made; in that season, and particularly when the new crops pronounce to be abundant, the prices are lower than at any other time of the year, and the hire of carriage is also more reasonable, owing to the abundance of food for the cattle employed in its conveyance; but the farmers and corn-factors of Castile are in the habit of raising the prices of wheat at the moment that they observe any demand for the article, so that they have nothing like a regular and constant price established for any certain period, which is much against their interests, as the greater part of the orders that come down to the port are limited to fixed prices on board, and it does often happen that the merchants of Santander are, when such alterations take place, in the interior, unable to execute the commissions they receive from Andalusia and the Mediterranean coasts. But it is not this alteration that principally affects the Corn trade in this province; the want of proper carriages for the transportation thereof, the nature of the roads, and above all, the imperfect state of the Canal de Campos, (which for want of means was left unfinished at Alar del Rey, when it might have easily been carried to the neighbourhood of Reynosa, or eight leagues longer) are all obstacles which tend greatly to the augmentation of price of this article, when put on board. I enclose a statement of the names and distances to Reynosa, of the places where they gather Corn, together with the prices actually paid to the farmer at the door of his house, and other information.

Neither Grain nor Flour pay any kind of transit, or other duties whatsoever. Reckoning on an average about 300,000 fanegas of wheat, are yearly sold at Reynosa, but this quantity increases considerably when the crops have *fallen* in other provinces; as it happened in Galicia, in the years 1817 and 1818, when more than 700,000 fanegas of wheat were exported from Reynosa.

The Canal de Campos runs from Grijota to Alar del Rey, where it terminates, a distance of eighteen leagues; and in its extension there are several water-mills, where they elaborate Flour to great perfection. The mills of Grijota alone can grind in a day 1,000 quintals of Flour; the rest of the mills in the canal as many more, and those in the vicinity of Reynosa as many again. The commodity is sent out from the port of Santander to the Havannah in barrels; but as there are few workmen

workmen employed in manufacturing them, it is calculated that no more than 7,000 barrels of Flour could be got ready at Reynosa in a month's time; in bags a much larger quantity could be collected. The price of Flour at present at the mills of Grijota is from 12 to 12 ½ reales vellon per arroba, of twenty-five Castilian pounds the first quality; and that of the second sort, at from 9 to 9 ½ reales vellon the arroba. The freight or water-carriage through the canal is 1 ½ maravedi the arroba for every league in summer time, and two maravedis, or one-seventeenth part of a real, per arroba in the winter season. There is a distance of eight leagues from Alar del Rey to Reynosa, and the carriage thereof is one real the arroba. The land-carriage from Grijota to Reynosa, from 2 to 2 ½ reales per arroba.

The Flour elaborated at Grijota, and the other mills of the canal, is admired for its whiteness and softness; it has improved considerably in the course of the last five or six years. At present the barrel of Flour of the first quality, weighing 186 pounds net Castilian weight, is sold at Reynosa at 128 reales vellon, that of the second quality is always 20 reales less the barrel. Carriage from Reynosa to Santander 12 reales per barrel, and the whole cost on board in the port of Santander is 148 to 150 reales vellon; but these prices vary frequently, according to the scarcity or abundance of orders from Havannah, as the holders generally regulate their prices by the demand.

It is not possible to form an accurate account of the Grains exported from this port before the year 1823, as the records from whence such information could be derived were lost, with other documents and papers belonging to this custom house, at the time of the entrance of the French troops in April of that year.

The Enclosure (N° 2.) is a statement of the Wheat and Flour exported from the ports of Santander, Limpias, and Requejada, for the years 1823, 4, 5, and 6; but I understand that from the year 1818, the exports from Santander were considerably larger than during the last years. The whole, or nearly the whole of the Flour was sent to the Havannah; and particularly in the last two years, the shipments of this article have all been made in foreign bottoms.

Wheat and other Grains are sent to Cadiz, Malaga, Alicant, Barcelona, &c.; and a great part of those shipped this year have been under foreign colours, in consequence of an order from the Spanish Government to that effect, and which is to be in force until the last day of the present year. Freights have been paid to English vessels 5 ½ and 6 reales per fanega for the first port, and 6 ½ and 7 for the others, with 5 per cent. At Limpias and Requejada freights are from 1 to 1 ½ reales per fanega higher, and there is a difference also made in the insurance, as those ports do not offer the same security for the entrance and lying of the vessels as Santander does.

The entrance here is excellent, and the harbour spacious enough for any fleet and burthen. This port is far the best situated in the Peninsula for the exportation of Grain.

(signed) *Joseph M. Montalvan.*

H. B. M. Vice Consular Office, Acting Vice Consul.
Santander, 31st October 1826.

MEMORANDUM:

The fanega is equal to 1,599 English bushels.

The quintal of 4 arrobas, or 100 Castilian pounds, answers to 101,44 *lbs.* avoirdupois.

The real vellon may be estimated at 2 ½ *d.*; its sterling value in silver at 5 *s.* 2 *d.* per ounce standard is 2.59 pence.

Thirty-four maravedis are equal to one real vellon.

(signed) *Richard Bartlett,*
H. M. Consul, Corunna.

(Enclosure, N° 1.)

A STATEMENT of the Prices of WHEAT, and of the Carriage thereof, at the under-mentioned Ports in Spain.

NAMES of PLACES.	Distance to Reynosa.	PRICES of Wheat actually paid to the Farmer.		Highest PRICE paid in the last 12 Years for Carriage from these Places to Reynosa,	Lowest PRICE paid for Ditto to Ditto.	CARRIAGE PRICE actually paid.	PRICES of WHEAT at Reynosa, including Warehouse Rent and Commission.		Carriage to Santander from Reynosa.	PRICES on board at Santander, including all Charges.		Carriage to Requejada from Reynosa.	PRICES on board at Requejada.		PRICES on board at Limpias.	
		Hard.	Soft.				Hard.	Soft.		Hard.	Soft.		Hard.	Soft.	Hard.	Soft.
	Leagues.	*Reales per fanega.*	*Reales per fanega.*	*Reales per fanega.*	*Reales per fanega.*	*Reales per fanega.*										
Burgos - -	17	28	- -	14	9	9 ½	39 reales vellon per fanega.	35 reales vellon per fanega.	6 to 6 ¼ reales vellon per fanega.	47 ½ to 48 reales vellon per fanega.	43 to 44 reales vellon per fanega.	4 reales vellon per fanega.	44 ¼ to 45 reales vellon per fanega.	40 ½ to 41 reales vellon per fanega.	43 ½ to 44 reales vellon per fanega.	39 ½ to 40 reales vellon per fanega.
Castro Jerez -	15	29	- -	13	8	8 ½										
Villadiego -	12	30	- -	11 ½	7 ½	7										
Cuenca - -	22	- -	21	16	10	12 ¼										
Cisueros - -	19	- -	24	14	9	9 ½										
Frechilla - -	20	- -	23	15	9 ¼	10 ¼										
Carrion - -	15	- -	27	13	8	6										

Santander,
31st October 1826.

(signed) *J. M. Montalvan,*
Acting Vice Consul.

(Enclosure N° 2.)

STATEMENT of the Quantity of WHEAT and FLOUR exported from the Ports of *Santander*, *Limpias* and *Requejada*, during the Years 1823, 4, 5, and 6.

	1823:		1824:		1825:		1826:	
	WHEAT.	FLOUR.	WHEAT.	FLOUR.	WHEAT.	FLOUR	WHEAT.	FLOUR.
	Fanegas.	*Barrels*	*Fanegas.*	*Barrels.*	*Fanegas.*	*Barrels.*	*Fanegas.*	*Barrels.*
Santander - -	84, 783	13, 214	80, 350	10, 312	71, 407	17, 850	92, 630	26, 960
Limpias - -	59, 694	- - - -	69, 940	- - - -	74, 704	4, 000	76, 195	—
Requejada - -	42, 566	6, 700	51, 939	1, 650	70, 212	8, 955	66, 980	9, 620

Santander, October 31st, 1826.

(signed) *J. M. Montalvan*, Actg Vice Consul.

10.—ANCONA.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Ancona, dated 1st November 1826.—(Two Enclosures.)

SIR, Ancona, 1st November 1826.

I HAVE had the honour to receive your Despatch of the 13th October last, informing me, that as the returns of the average prices of Wheat in the Roman states, from the year 1700, cannot be procured from the "annona" of Rome, without the payment of a dollar per each year, it is not considered necessary to incur so exorbitant a charge, and that the returns in question will be dispensed with.

I have, however, succeeded in obtaining returns from various of the ports, namely, Pesaro, Ancona and Porto d'Anzo, from the year 1700, and from Senigallia from the year 1729, which I have now the honour to inclose.

It will be observed that the return from Porto d'Anzo is only the average for each ten years.

It will also be remarked, in comparing the average prices of some years of different ports, there is a great variation, so much so as to give reason to suspect that they may be incorrect; in consequence I have caused a second examination to be made of the books of the custom-house, and find that the reports perfectly agree with the registers.

I am sorry that I cannot add to this report, the quantity exported, the accounts being all sent to the "annona" at Rome, as will be seen by the enclosed translated copy of a letter from the superintendent of the customs here, where it cannot be procured without incurring the enormous expense of one dollar per each year, as I have already stated.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient humble servant,
John Parke.

The Right Hon. George Canning,
H. M. Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,
&c. &c. &c.

(Enclosure)

STATEMENT of the Average Prices of WHEAT at the under-mentioned Ports in the *Roman States*, during a Series of Years, beginning with the Year 1700.

Ancona, 1st November 1826.

DATE.	Average Prices per Winchester Quarter.							
	ANCONA.		SENIGALLIA.		PESARO.		PORTO D'ANZO.	
	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.
1700 -	3.85	16/4	- -	- -	4.48	19/9		
1701 -	4.85	21/4	- -	- -	5.24	23/2		
1702 -	4.75	20/4	- -	- -	5.71	25/1		
1703 -	3.65	16/	- -	- -	4.70	20/8		
1704 -	5.45	24/	- -	- -	3.26	14/4	5.	22/1
1705 -	3.25	14/4	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1706 -	3.85	16/11	- -	- -	3.68	16/3		
1707 -	4.45	19/7	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1708 -	4.25	18/9	- -	- -	5.24	23/2		
1709 -	4.95	21/10	- -	- -	5.44	24/		
1710 -	4.25	18/9	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1711 -	3.05	13/5	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1712 -	3.55	15/7	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1713 -	4.15	18/9	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1714 -	3.70	16/2	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1715 -	6.	26/6	- -	- -	- - -	-		
1716 -	5.	22/1	- -	- -	7.68	33/11	5.40	23/10
1717 -	3.80	16/9	- -	- -	4.80	21/2		
1718 -	3.80	16/9	- -	- -	4.44	19/7		
1719 -	3.40	15/	- -	- -	3.93	17/3		
1720 -	3.	13/3	- -	- -	3.31	14/7		
1721 -	2.20	9/9	- -	- -	2.40	10/7		
1722 -	4.	17/8	- -	- -	3.04	13/5		
1723 -	2.80	12/4	- -	- -	3.21	9/9		
1724 -	3.60	15/11	- -	- -	3.69	16/3		
1725 -	3.50	15/5	- -	- -	3.64	16/1		
1726 -	2.08	9/2	- -	- -	2.94	13/	6.	26/6
1727 -	2.40	10/6	- -	- -	2.46	10/9		
1728 -	3.05	13/5	- -	- -	3.58	15/9		
1729 -	4.30	19/	4.20	18/7	4.67	20/7		
1730 -	2.60	11/4	4.90	21/7	3.85	17/1		

Not to be obtained, there being no Register for this period.

(*continued*)

Statement of the Average Prices of Wheat at the under-mentioned Ports in the Roman States—*continued*.

DATE.	Average Prices per Winchester Quarter.							
	ANCONA.		SENIGALLIA.		PESARO.		PORTO D'ANZO.	
	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.
1731 -	3.20	14/	3.10	13/8	3.47	15/5		
1732 -	3.80	16/9	3.40	15/	4.16	18/5		
1733 -	4.20	18/7	5.	22/1	4.60	20/4		
1734 -	4.20	18/7	4.45	19/7	4.32	21/1		
1735 -	6.40	28/3	4.10	18/2	4.88	21/6	7.	30/11
1736 -	3.80	16/9	6.40	28/	5.15	22/8		
1737 -	3.90	17/2	4.10	18/2	4.	17/8		
1738 -	3.80	16/9	4.45	19/7	4.06	17/11		
1739 -	3.90	17/2	3.92	17/3	3.86	17/		
1740 -	4.60	20/4	5.	22/1	4.51	19/10		
1741 -	4.30	19/	4.25	18/9	4.70	20/9		
1742 -	4.80	21/2	5.20	22/11	5.60	24/8		
1743 -	4.70	20/9	5.60	24/8	6/11	27/		
1744 -	4.60	20/4	5.80	25/7	6.20	27/2		
1745 -	4.32	19/1	5.	22/1	4.54	20/	5.80	25/7
1746 -	4.20	18/7	4.40	19/5	4.48	19/7		
1747 -	5.20	23/	5.60	24/8	5.88	25/11		
1748 -	4.	17/8	6.80	30/	5.96	26/4		
1749 -	4.90	21/7	4.40	19/5	5.32	23/5		
1750 -	4.80	21/2	5.20	22/11	4.59	20/3		
1751 -	5.20	23/	4.88	21/6	5.04	22/3		
1752 -	4.90	21/7	6.	26/6	5.08	22/5		
1753 -	4.50	19/11	4.30	19/	3.74	16/6		
1754 -	3.90	17/2	4.	17/8	4.12	18/2		
1755 -	4.80	21/2	4.60	20/4	4.75	20/11		
1756 -	4.50	19/11	5.32	23/4	5.77	25/5	8.	35/4
1757 -	4.50	19/11	5.	22/1	4.80	21/2		
1758 -	4.20	18/7	4.40	19/5	4.06	17/11		
1759 -	5.40	23/10	4.60	20/4	4.76	21/		
1760 -	4.60	20/4	5.60	24/8	5.40	23/10		
1761 -	5.	22/1	5.20	22/11	4.48	19/10		
1762 -	4.80	21/2	4.60	20/4	4.	17/8		
1763 -	5.20	22/11	4.36	19/3	4.70	20/9		
1764 -	4.80	21/2	8.	35/4	5.63	24/9		
1765 -	6.40	28/3	4.88	21/6	5.79	25/6	10.50	46/4
1766 -	10.	44/2	5.90	25/11	7.72	34/1		
1767 -	7.20	31/9	8.50	37/6	7.68	33/11		
1768 -	5.60	24/8	7.40	32/7	6.92	30/7		
1769 -	5.20	12/11	5.80	25/6	5.82	25/7		

Statement of the Average Prices of Wheat at the under-mentioned Ports in the Roman States—*continued.*

DATE.	Average Prices per Winchester Quarter.							
	ANCONA.		SENIGALLIA.		PESARO.		PORTO D'ANZO.	
	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.
1770 -	4.80	21/2	5.20	22/11	4.76	21/		
1771 -	5.20	22/11	4.64	20/6	4.52	20/		
1772 -	6.40	28/3	5.20	22/11	5.98	26/5		
1773 -	6.60	29/1	6.60	29/1	6.73	29/9		
1774 -	7.	30/11	6.12	27/	6.73	29/9		
1775 -	5.	22/1	7.	30/11	6.46	28/6	8.	35/4
1776 -	5.20	22/11	5.12	22/7	4.51	19/10		
1777 -	5.	22/1	4.96	21/11	4.72	21/2		
1778 -	5.20	22/11	5.60	24/8	5.39	23/7		
1779 -	6.	26/6	6.40	28/3	6.08	26/10		
1780 -	5.	22/1	6.	26/6	5.02	22/2		
1781 -	6.	26/6	- - -	- - -	5.50	24/3		
1782 -	6.60	29/1	- - -	- - -	7.42	32/9		
1783 -	6.40	28/3	7.20	31/9	5.36	23/5		
1784 -	7.80	34/5	5.65	24/10	6.88	30/4		
1785 -	6.	26/6	7.36	32/5	6.	26/6	9.	39/9
1786 -	5.	22/1	6.08	26/10	5.04	22/3		
1787 -	6.40	28/3	5.60	24/8	5.84	25/8		
1788 -	7.20	31/9	6.56	28/11	7.93	35/		
1789 -	7.60	33/7	8.40	37/1	8.88	39/3		
1790 -	7.20	31/9	8.20	36/3	6.30	27/10		
1791 -	6.60	29/1	6.40	28/3	6.06	26/9		
1792 -	7.40	32/7	6.56	28/11	6.86	30/4		
1793 -	7.	30/11	7.52	33/2	7.88	34/9		
1794 -	8.	35/4	8.	35/4	8.52	37/6		
1795 -	9.	39/9	7.80	34/5	9.68	42/9	18.	79/6
1796 -	10.	44/2	8.	35/4	9.84	43/5		
1797 -	9.	39/9	7.80	34/5	8.30	36/8		
1798 -	- - -	- - -	7.60	33/7	9.12	40/3		
1799 -	- - -	- - -	7.	30/11	10.08	44/6		
1800 -	8.10	35/4 44/2	9.	39/9	14.43	63/8		
1801 -	- - -	- - -	13.	57/5	19.36	85/5		
1802 -	- - -	- - -	17.25	76/1	16.48	72/6		
1803 -	- - -	- - -	10.	44/2	12.30	54/5		
1804 -	- - -	- -	7.20	31/9	7.82	34/1		
1805 -	- - -	- - -	9.80	43/3	9.12	40/3	12.50	55/3
1806 -	- - -	- - -	10.	44/2	8.78	38/9		
1807 -	- - -	- - -	7.50	33/2	6.83	30/2		
1808 -	34.79	29/	6.66	29/5	7.63	33/9		
1809 -	35.30	29/5	7.80	34/	5.54	24/5		
1810 -	40.91	39/1	10.17	44/11	7.68	33/11		

(continued)

Statement of the Average Prices of Wheat at the under-mentioned Ports in the Roman States—*continued.*

DATE.	Average Price per Winchester Quarter.							
	ANCONA.		SENEGALLIA.		PESARO.		PORTO D'ANZO.	
	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.	In Roman Money.	In Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange.
1811 -	65.36	54/4	12.84	56/8	9.74	34/		
1812 -	65.49	54/5	13.47	59/5	11.88	52/5		
1813 -	45.66	38/6	9.35	41/3	9.26	40/11		
1814 -	50.49	42/9	9.76	43/1	14.25	62/10		
1815 -	69.18	57/7	13.46	59/5	14.02	61/11		
1816 -	16.31	72/	17.42	76/10	16.60	73/3	14.	61.10
1817 -	14.41	63/7	15.46	68/3	12.22	54/1		
1818 -	8.93	39/6	9.37	41/4	8.44	37/6		
1819 -	6.65	29/4	6.54	28/10	6.64	29/3		
1820 -	6.91	30/6	7.21	31/9	6.30	27/10		
1821 -	8.13	35/11	8.35	36/10	7.48	23/1		
1822 -	6.68	29/6	6.55	28/10	6.04	26/8		
1823 -	6.	26/6	6.12	27/	5.47	24/4	7.20	31.10
1824 -	5.19	22/11	4.51	19/11	4.20	18/7		
1825 -	4.70	20/9	4.45	19/8	3.71	16/5		

The expense attending the shipment of Corn at Ancona on board, is about 6 *d.* per quarter, and the freight and expenses coastwise about 8 *d.* for every 20 miles distant, per quarter. There is no duty paid to government on Corn in these states, neither levied in the shape of transit duty, or of charge at the out-port.

Translated Copy of a LETTER from the Superintendent of the Customs to Mr. Consul Parke, stating that the quantities of Grain exported can only be ascertained since the Year 1816.

PAPAL GOVERNMENT.

Ancona, 2d October 1826.

The Commander Hannibal Parisani, Superintendent of the Custom Houses of the City and Province of Ancona, Macerata, Urbino, and Pesaro.

SIR,

IT is impossible that the two custom houses of Ancona and Senigallia, under my direction, can furnish the information you require by your letter of the 30th September last. The accounts of the exportation of Grain are all sent to the congregation of the "Annona di Roma," and a few memoranda only remain in the custom houses.

The vicissitudes of past times have dispersed all those anterior to the repristination of the Papal Government, for which reason those only since the year 1816 are to be had.

This in reply, &c. and I remain with distinct esteem, &c.

(signed) *Parisani.*

11.—WASHINGTON.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Washington, dated October 10th, 1826.—(Four Enclosures.)

British Consulate General, Washington,
SIR, October 10th, 1826.

IN compliance with Mr. Secretary Canning's circular instructions of the 29th of last June, (the receipt of which, on the 27th of August, was acknowledged in my Despatch, N° 40) I have the honour to transmit enclosed, a Report, which has been prepared by the Vice-Consul of this district, containing an account of the prices of the several sorts of Grain, and of the quantities thereof, exported annually from the ports within the district of Columbia, commencing with the year 1789; in which the present constitution of the United States, and a more regular form of government were established, and brought down to the last year; although during part of this period the territory in question belonged to the states of Virginia and Maryland, yet upon its cession and subsequent occupation as the seat of government, no change was made in the collection districts, from the books of which the information has been principally obtained; recourse being had in some few instances, as respects the early periods, to the books of the old Scotch houses, which at that time engrossed the whole of the trade.

The *additional information* required as to the expense attending the passage of Corn through the ports of the district was comprised in the Vice-Consul's last agricultural return, forwarded in my N° 42 of the 1st instant, and will be continued in the future returns at the end of each quarter.

Vide Consuls Quarterly Returns, N° 1, already laid before Parliament. *I. J. L.*

With respect to the average price of Wheat in the whole of the United States, I have been informed that no accounts of this nature exist at the Treasury department; and there appears to be no other means of ascertaining it, than by a comparison of the prices at the principal sea ports, which information, including the ports of this district, will be in the possession of His Majesty's Government upon the receipt of the returns which have been called for from each Consulate. An account of the price of Flour at Baltimore, in each year from 1802 to 1822, formed by taking an average of the price of several months in the same year, was annexed to a report made on the 15th March 1822, by the Committee on Commerce in the House of Representatives, which was enclosed in my despatch, N° 8, of that year, and will no doubt be also transmitted by His Majesty's Consul for Maryland on the present occasion.

Being well aware of the great solicitude felt by His Majesty's Government with reference to this subject, I have not failed to obtain such other information as it was in my power to procure, and which is comprised in the three Tables, which I have the honour to transmit herewith.

The first, marked (B.) is a statement both of the quantity and value of the Wheat, Flour, and other descriptions of Grain and Meal, and Biscuit, respectively, exported from the United States in each year, from 1824 as far back as 1817, the first year in which the value is specified.

The second, marked (C.) is an account of the quantities of the same articles exported from 1816 to 1790, the earliest period to which any authentic statements extend; the present form of government only dating from 1789. It should be observed that the amounts from 1802 to 1790 are not confined to the produce of the United States, of which they are composed in the subsequent years. In a few instances, from 1806 to 1816, the average price of Wheat, Flour, and Rice, has been obtained from the statistical work of Mr. Pitkin, which is held in great estimation; and should the result be thought sufficiently accurate to render such a calculation desirable, the average prices of the different articles, from 1824 to 1817, might be estimated, as the total values, as well as quantities, are stated for that period; the values being ascertained at the Treasury, by forming an average from the prices reported by the collectors at the several places of exportation.

The third Table, marked (D.) contains an account of the total value of all Vegetable Food exported from the United States, from 1824 to 1803, both inclusive; prior to which latter year this class of exports was not separated from the general amount.

In

To John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure (A.)—STATEMENT of the several sorts of CORN, GRAIN and FLOUR exported

YEAR EXPORTED.	ARTICLES EXPORTED: WHEAT. Foreign Measure.	WHEAT. Price in Foreign Money.	WHEAT. Price of Corn in Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange, per Winchester Quarter of 8 Bushels.	RYE. Foreign Measure.	RYE. Price in Foreign Money.	RYE. Price in Sterling Money, according to the par of Exchange, in English measure, per Quarter.
	Bushel of 56 lbs.	$ 100.	£. s. d.	*Running bushel.*	$ 100.	£. s. d.
1789	79,193	1 20	2 3 2	-	-	-
1790	83,259	- 90	1 12 4	-	-	-
1791	160,303	- 97	1 14 11	-	-	-
1792	130,598	1 05	1 17 9	-	-	-
1793	178,232	1 33	2 7 10	-	-	-
1794	13,976	1 06	1 18 1	-	-	-
1795	-	-	-	-	-	-
1796	-	-	-	-	-	-
1797	-	-	-	-	-	-
1798	2,000	1 60	2 17 7	-	-	-
1799	-	-	-	-	-	-
1800	-	-	-	-	-	-
1801	13,533	1 70	3 1 2	-	-	-
1802	19,080	1 50	2 14 -	-	-	-
1803	94,957	1 25	2 5 -	2,338	- 70	1 5 2
1804	8,500	1 40	2 10 4	-	-	-
1805	-	-	-	-	-	-
1806	21,500	1 30	2 6 9	-	-	-
1807	-	-	-	-	-	-
1808	-	-	-	-	-	-
1809	23,864	1 30	2 6 9	-	-	-
1810	-	-	-	-	-	-
1811	6,880	1 70	3 1 2	-	-	-
1812	65,575	2 -	3 12 -	-	-	-
1813	-	-	-	-	-	-
1814	-	-	-	-	-	-
1815	14,183	2 -	3 12 -	-	-	-
1816	-	-	-	-	-	-
1817	-	-	-	-	-	-
1818	12,000	2 -	3 12 -	-	-	-
1819	4,000	1 -	1 16 -	-	-	-
1820	-	-	-	133	- 75	1 7 -
1821	-	-	-	-	-	-
1822	280	1 30	2 6 9	-	-	-
1823	-	-	-	-	-	-
1824	-	-	-	-	-	-
1825	-	-	-	-	-	-

Washington,
1st October 1826.

In submitting the above statements, which with the exception just mentioned, have been derived from official sources, I beg leave to add, that should I be able to obtain any further information of an authentic nature, I shall lose no time in communi cating it.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Anthony St. John Baker.*

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from what is now called the District of *Columbia*, with the Average Price per annum of each Article.

ARTICLES EXPORTED:							
INDIAN CORN.			SUPERFINE FLOUR.			REMARKS.
Foreign Measure.	Price in Foreign Money.	Price in Sterling Money, according to the par of Exchange, in English measure, per Quarter.	Foreign Measure.	Price in Foreign Money.	Price in Sterling Money, according to the par of Exchange, per Barrel.	
Running bushel.	$ 100.	£. s. d.	*Barrels of 196 lbs.*	$ 100.	£. s. d.	
17,131	– 75	1 7 –	17,454	6 80	1 10 7	Great difficulty has been experienced in obtaining the quantity of each article exported; it is, however, believed that the above statement cannot vary much from the actual amount. The price stated is believed to be as near the average price of each year as could be obtained. It is not practicable to ascertain the quantities or prices of articles exported prior to 1789, inasmuch as until that period no regulations existed of the Government of the United States requiring any statement of exports. No laws were passed by the general Government relative to commerce until 1789. During a portion of the above period, what is now called "District of Columbia," belonged in part to the states of Virginia and Maryland, yet no alterations were made in the collection districts.
155,281	– 42	– 15 1	30,589	4 20	– 18 10	
115,471	– 55	– 19 9	43,202	4 90	1 2 –	
73,499	– 60	1 1 7	61,455	5 25	1 3 7	
37,788	– 55	– 19 9	59,357	6 75	1 10 4	
46,266	– 50	– 18 –	42,946	5 –	1 2 6	
91,718	– 70	1 5 2	61,762	11 –	2 9 6	
29,897	– 72	1 5 11	51,513	12 50	2 16 3	
60,139	– 75	1 7 –	40,654	12 –	2 14 –	
28,686	– 65	1 4 10	37,029	9 –	2 – 6	
27,240	– 60	1 1 7	32,075	8 –	1 16 –	
35,098	– 55	– 19 9	23,991	8 50	1 18 3	
50,920	– 65	1 4 10	44,098	8 50	1 18 3	
27,373	– 65	1 4 10	78,207	7 50	1 13 9	
60,158	– 65	1 4 10	102,683	6 50	1 9 3	
40,870	– 55	– 19 9	65,504	7 –	1 11 6	
16,814	– 65	1 4 10	60,164	7 80	1 15 1	
22,655	– 60	1 1 7	57,580	7 60	1 14 2	
12,676	– 95	1 14 2	112,120	6 40	1 8 9	
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	Nothing exported this year.
27,776	– 60	1 1 7	88,373	6 80	1 10 7	
105,009	– 82	1 9 6	74,982	8 50	1 18 3	
106,878	– 90	1 12 4	201,513	9 –	2 – 6	
152,939	1 –	1 16 –	175,894	9 50	2 2 9	
870	– 90	1 12 4	43,896	9 50	2 2 9	
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	Nothing exported this year.
39,388	1 10	1 19 7	208,908	9 25	2 1 7	
52,437	1 25	2 5 –	54,163	10 50	2 7 3	
6,849	1 55	2 15 9	110,749	12 –	2 14 –	
99,282	– 85	1 10 7	88,121	9 50	2 2 9	
25,081	– 70	1 5 2	81,571	7 –	1 11 6	
8,704	– 60	1 1 7	94,439	4 80	1 1 7	
14,822	– 50	– 18 –	72,941	4 80	1 1 7	
6,952	– 70	1 5 2	66,944	6 60	1 9 8	
20,431	– 50	– 18 –	45,035	6 60	1 9 8	
36,007	– 40	– 14 4	56,412	5 50	1 4 9	
6,651	– 50	– 18 –	39,839	5 –	1 2 6	

James Eaker, Vice Consul.

(Enclosure B.)—STATEMENT of the Quantity and Value of the several sorts of

YEAR ending September 30th.	WHEAT.		FLOUR.		INDIAN CORN.	
	Quantity. Bushels.	Value. Dollars 4/6 at par of Exchange.	Quantity. Barrels of 196 lbs.	Value. Dollars, as before.	Quantity. Bushels.	Value. Dollars, as before.
1824 - -	20,373	20,740	996,792	5,759,176	779,297	351,665
1823 - -	4,272	5,663	756,702	4,962,373	749,034	453,622
1822 -	4,418	3,080	827,865	5,103,280	509,098	378,427
1821 - -	25,821	20,925	1,056,119	4,298,043	607,277	261,099
1820 - -	22,137	16,603	1,177,036	5,296,664	533,741	330,919
1819 - -	82,065	103,581	750,660	6,005,280	1,086,762	815,072
1818 - -	196,808	303,6:6	1,157,697	11,576,970	1,675,190	1,675,190
1817 - -	96,407	216,916	1,479,198	17,751,376	387,454	581,181

STATEMENT—*continued.*

YEAR ending September 30th.	RYE, OATS, BARLEY, OTHER SMALL GRAIN.		RYE.		BARLEY.	
	Quantity. Bushels.	Value. Dollars, as before.	Quantity Bushels.	Value. Dollars, as before.	Quantity. Bushels.	Value. Dollars, as before.
1824 - -	not given.	95,401	included in general column.		included in general column.	
1823 - -	- - -	89,354	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1822 - -	- - -	63,832	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1821 - -	- - -	47,137	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1820 - -	- - -	- - -	1,714	1,028	2,777	1,666
1819 - -	- - -	- - -	67,605	54,084	3,047	3,047
1818 - -	- -	- - -	47,961	47,961	13,076	12,391
1817 - -	- - -	- - -	1,702	not given.	4,093	not given.

British Consulate General,
Washington, October 10th, 1826.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, exported from the *United States*, in each Year, from 1824 to 1817.

INDIAN MEAL.		RYE MEAL.		BISCUIT, or SHIP BREAD.		
Quantity. Barrels.	Value. Dollars, as before.	Quantity. Barrels.	Value. Dollars, as before.	Quantity. Barrels.	Quantity. Kegs.	Value. Dollars, as before.
152,723	384,675	31,879	85,651	50,888	33,282	197,339
141,501	476,867	25,665	91,957	43,700	30,994	183,401
148,228	522,229	19,971	75,736	44,581	33,382	180,926
131,669	345,180	23,523	55,226	47,509	31,370	157,389
146,316	512,106	37,014	129,549	46,041	42,743	249,928
135,271	608,720	48,388	241,940	54,603	44,184	306,153
120,029	660,215	107,335	592,343	76,725	60,709	492,165
106,763	747,341	78,067	624,536	59,052	63,194	453,919

STATEMENT—*continued.*

OATS.		RICE.		REMARKS.
Quantity. Bushels.	Value. Dollars, as before.	Quantity. Tierces.	Value. Dollars, as before.	
included in general column.		113,229	1,882,982	The bushels are the same as the Winchester. The barrels of Meal contain about 140 lbs.
- - -	- - -	101,365	1,820,985	The barrels and kegs of Biscuit vary according to the packing.
- - -	- - -	87,089	1,553,482	The tierce the same as the English.
- - -	- - -	88,221	1,494,307	
27,170	10,053	71,663	1,714,923	
23,284	11,642	76,523	2,142,644	
75,205	33,090	88,181	3,262,697	
72,854	not given.	79,296	2,378,880	

Anthony St. John Baker.

(Enclosure C.)—STATEMENT of the Quantity of the several Sorts of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE

YEAR ending Sept. 30:	WHEAT.	AVERAGE PRICE.		FLOUR.	AVERAGE PRICE.		INDIAN CORN.	INDIAN MEAL.
	Bushels.	$ 100	*At Par,* £. s. d.	*Barrels of 196 lbs.*	$ 100	*At Par,* £. s. d.	*Bushels.*	*Barrels.*
1816 - -	52,321	1 75	– 7 10	729,053	10 00	2 5 –	1,077,614	89,119
1815 - -	17,634	1 25	– 5 7	862,739	8 00	1 16 –	830,316	72,364
1814 - -	nil.	–	–	193,274	8 50	1 18 3	61,284	26,438
1813 - -	288,535	–	–	1,260,943	–	–	1,486,970	58,521
1812 - -	53,832	–	–	1,443,492	–	–	2,039,999	90,810
1811 - -	216,833	1 75	– 7 10	1,445,012	9 50	2 2 9	2,790,850	147,423
1810 - -	1,752	1 50	– 6 9	778,431	7 50	1 13 9	325,924	86,744
1809 - -	393,899	1 25	– 5 7	847,247	6 00	1 7 –	522,074	57,260
1808 - -	87,330	1 25	– 5 7	263,013	6 50	1 9 3	249,532	30,818
1807 - -	1,173,114	1 25	– 5 7	1,249,819	7 00	1 11 3	612,421	136,460
1806 - -	86,784	1 33	– 5 11	782,724	8 00	1 16 –	1,064,263	108,342
1805 - -	18,041	–	–	775,513	–	–	861,501	116,131
1804 - -	127,024	–	–	810,008	–	–	1,944,873	111,327
1803 - -	686,415	–	–	1,311,853	–	–	2,079,608	133,606
								Bushels.
1802 - -	280,281	–	–	1,156,248	–	–	1,633,283	266,816
1801 - -	239,929	–	–	1,102,444	–	–	1,768,162	919,355
1800 - -	26,853	–	–	653,052	–	–	1,694,327	338,108
1799 - -	10,056	–	–	519,265	–	–	1,200,492	231,226
1798 - -	15,021	–	–	567,558	–	–	1,218,231	211,694
1797 - -	15,655	–	–	515,633	–	–	804,922	254,799
1796 - -	31,226	–	–	725,194	–	–	1,173,552	540,286
								Barrels.
1795 - -	141,273	–	–	687,369	–	–	1,935,345	102,529
1794 - -	696,797	–	–	828,405	–	–	1,472,700	48,834
1793 - -	1,450,575	–	–	1,074,639	–	–	1,233,768	37,943
1792 - -	853,790	–	–	824,464	–	–	1,964,973	52,681
1791 - -	1,018,339	–	–	619,681	–	–	1,713,241	70,339
1790 - -	1,124,458	–	–	724,623	–	–	2,102,137	not given separately.

(For Remarks, see Enclosure B.)

British Consulate General,
Washington, Oct. 10th, 1826.

(Enclosure D.)—STATEMENT of the Total Value of all VEGETABLE FOOD

YEAR ending Sept. 30th.	Dollars of 4/6, at par of Exchange.
1824 - -	11,497,373
1823 - -	10,513,855
1822 - -	10,504,752
1821 - -	9,075,217
1820 - -	10,848,000
1819 - -	10,473,000
1818 - -	19,048,000
1817 - -	22,954,000
1816 - -	13,151,000
1815 - -	11,234,000
1814 - -	2,179,000

British Consulate General,
Washington, Oct. 10th, 1826.

exported from the *United States* in each Year, from 1816 to 1790, with the Average Prices, whenever attainable.

RYE MEAL.	BISCUIT, or SHIP BREAD.		RYE.	RICE.	AVERAGE PRICE.		BARLEY.	OATS.
					$ 100	At Par. £. s. d.		
Barrels.	*Barrels.*	*Kegs.*	*Bushels.*	*Tierces.*			*Bushels.*	*Bushels.*
8,373	51,281	68,078	3,464	137,843	25 78	5 16 10	6,858	45,839
6,016	49,034	27,733	831	129,248	20 00	4 10 –	2,237	29,899
2,716	14,044	1,717	–	11,476	20 00	4 10 –	2,300	6,046
65,680	28,826	4,073	140,136	120,843	–	–	–	14,105
69,839	46,344	15,526	82,705	77,190	–	–	49,707	48,469
29,375	103,901	47,536	14,818	119,356	20 00	4 10 –	29,716	211,894
5,078	62,418	30,842	1,054,252	131,341	20 00	4 10 –	6,942	448
1,396	69,699	25,418	1,185	116,907	18 00	4 1 –	200	20,361
6,167	21,597	6,628	530	9,228	24 00	5 8 –	173	23,698
29,067	102,431	37,157	6,650	94,692	25 00	5 12 6	4,893	65,277
18,090	88,086	38,229	614	102,627	25 50	5 14 9	156	69,993
23,455	90,737	23,962	1,474	56,830	–	–	7,185	55,400
21,779	85,513	50,390	11,315	78,385	–	–	5,318	73,726
28,273	108,272	38,085	50,753	81,838	–	–	2,745	84,497
Bushels.								
33,292	94,872	36,167	2,492	79,822	–	–	485	70,778
392,276	105,983	44,079	31,110	94,866	–	–	8,796	100,544
79,677	81,199	38,482	8,227	112,056	–	–	432	57,306
49,269	47,340	32,534	1,595	110,599	–	–	552	57,359
48,444	52,793	25,807	2,721	125,243	–	–	4,066	46,475
36,570	84,679	21,139	1,331	60,111	–	–	479	38,221
152,784	181,065	26,102	4,319	131,039	–	–	345	59,797
Barrels.								
4,882	71,331	37,462	703	138,526	–	–	–	64,335
4,034	68,479	40,916	696	55,026	–	–	26	55,003
12,691	76,653	43,306	1,305	134,611	–	–	30	78,524
14,126	80,986	37,645	12,727	141,762	–	–	–	119,733
24,062	100,279	15,346	36,737	73,329	–	–	35	116,634
not given separately.	75,667	–	21,765	100,845	–	–	–	98,842

Anthony St John Baker.

exported from the *United States* in each Year, from 1824 to 1802.

YEAR ending Sept. 30th.	Dollars of 4/6, at par of Exchange.
1813 - -	19,375,000
1812 - -	17,797,000
1811 - -	20,391,000
1810 - -	10,750,000
1809 - -	8,751,000
1808 - -	2,550,000
1807 - -	14,432,000
1806 - -	11,050,000
1805 - -	11,752,000
1804 - -	12,080,684
1803 - -	14,080,684

Anthony St John Baker.

12.—BOSTON.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Boston, dated October 22d, 1826.

SIR, His Majesty's Consulate, Boston, October 22d, 1826.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular of the 29th of June last, together with the accompanying copies of letters from Mr. Lack, and of the Resolution of the House of Commons, resolved on the 18th day of May preceding. In reply, I beg leave to state, that the state of Massachusetts has never grown Wheat sufficient for its own consumption, and that consequently no exportation thereof has taken place to any amount worth mentioning; indeed the grain produce generally of this state is so small that the inhabitants are dependent, in a great degree, on the more southern states for their supply thereof.

I am, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *George Manners.*
&c. &c. &c.

13.—BALTIMORE.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Baltimore, dated October 15th, 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

SIR, British Consulate, Baltimore, October 15th, 1826.

I HAVE the honour to transmit for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, agreeably to your circular Letter of the 29th June last, an Account of the quantity of Flour exported annually from this Consulate for a series of years, together with the average price of Wheat for the same period.

I have not been able to obtain the information from so early a date as the year 1700, but hope the Return now sent will be found satisfactory, being from the year 1799 to 1825, inclusive.

From this Return it will be observed that the export of Flour has been gradually increasing, and on an estimate of the shipments to *foreign* countries for the last nine years, it will appear that the annual export will average 244,222 barrels, which, multiplied by five, the estimated number of bushels of Wheat to the barrel of Flour, gives 1,221,110 bushels of Wheat annually exported.

There is no duty of any kind levied on Flour or Grain exported from this Consulate.

For the market price of the several sorts of Corn and Grain to a later date, I refer you to the returns contained in my letter of the 10th instant.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell Esq. (signed) *John Crawford.*
&c. &c. &c.

AN ACCOUNT of the Quantity of FLOUR exported annually from the State of *Maryland*, together with the Average Price thereof, from the Year 1799 to 1825 inclusive; also the Average Price of WHEAT for the same period.

DESCRIPTION.	YEAR.	Number of Barrels of Flour Exported from the State of Maryland.	Number of Barrels of Flour Exported to *Foreign* Countries from the State of Maryland.	Average Price of Flour in Sterling Money per Barrel of 196*lbs.*	Average Price of Wheat in Sterling Money, per quarter of 8 Winchester Bushels.
				£. s. d.	s. d.
Wheat - -	1799 - -	190,000	- - -	2 5 -	72 -
	1800 - -	210,000	- - -	2 5 -	72 -
	1801 - -	210,000	- - -	2 9 -	78 -
	1802 - -	280,000	- - -	1 11 -	49 -
	1803 - -	300,000	- - -	1 11 -	49 4
	1804 - -	320,000	- - -	1 15 -	56 -
	1805 - -	190,000	- - -	2 5 -	72 -
	1806 - -	250,000	- - -	1 14 -	56 -
	1807 - -	280,000	- - -	1 12 -	51 4
	1808 - -	400,000	- - -	1 7 -	43 4
	1809 - -	200,000	- - -	1 8 -	44 8
	1810 - -	350,000	- - -	1 10 -	48 -
	1811 - -	290,000	- - -	2 5 -	72 -
	1812 - -	450,000	- - -	2 4 -	72 -
	1813 - -	460,000	- - -	2 1 -	65 4
	1814 - -	100,000	- - -	1 10 -	48 -
	1815 - -	90,000	- - -	1 16 -	57 4
	1816 - -	300,000	- - -	2 5 -	72 -
	1817 - -	320,000	270,000	2 14 -	86 -
	1818 - -	360,000	230,000	2 5 -	72 -
	1819 - -	380,000	230,000	1 10 -	48 -
	1820 - -	480,000	280,000	1 2 -	35 4
	1821 - -	380,000	230,000	1 2 -	35 4
	1822 - -	330,000	206,000	1 10 -	48 -
	1823 - -	350,000	244,000	1 13 -	52 8
	1824 - -	410,000	296,000	1 6 -	41 4
	1825 - -	400,000	212,000	1 3 -	36 8

OBSERVATIONS:

There being little or no Wheat exported from this Consulate, it has not been thought necessary to make any estimate of the quantity, particularly as it would be impossible to ascertain the amount.

With respect to other kinds of Grain, very little is exported, with the exception of Indian Corn, of which considerable quantities are sent to the neighbouring states, and also to the West Indies.

As no account appears to have been kept of the quantity of this species of Grain exported, it has hitherto been found impossible to form a correct opinion on the subject.

It has been found impossible to obtain correct accounts of the quantity of Flour exported to foreign countries, of an earlier date than the year 1817.

British Consulate, Baltimore,
October 15th, 1826.

John Crawford,
Consul.

14.—NEW ORLEANS.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at New Orleans, dated November 6th, 1826.

SIR, British Consulate, New Orleans, November 6th, 1826.

IN reply to your Circular of the 29th June last, by which you desire me to procure and transmit to Mr. Secretary Canning an account of the prices and quantities of Wheat and other sorts of Grain exported annually from this port, I have to observe, that for the last five years no Wheat has been received from the interior; and that none is grown in this or the states adjoining; that the quantities of Flour received during the last five years, commencing on the 1st October and ending on the 30th September, have been as follows:

1822	120,159 Barrels.	1825	140,546 Barrels.
1823	114,735 –	1826	129,094 –
1824	100,929 –		

the larger portion of which has been consumed in this city and its vicinity. The average price during these years has not exceeded five dollars per barrel of one hundred and twenty six pounds net; the present price is $2\frac{1}{2}$: 5 dollars from sour to sweet.

That such Flour as has been exported from this port to Great Britain is generally sour; for if shipped sweet, it always proves sour on arrival.

Wheat could be obtained in the state of Ohio, and would be delivered here at one dollar per bushel, weighing sixty pounds.

I have written to the above-named State for further information, which when received, shall be transmitted to you.

I am, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *George Salkeld.*
&c. &c. &c.

15.—CHARLESTON.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Charleston, dated 30th November 1826.

SIR, Charleston, 30th November 1826.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Despatch dated the 29th of June, enclosing copies of two communications from the Board of Trade, 9th and 26th of the same month, respecting the prices of corn, &c. and desiring to be furnished with the average price of Wheat in the Carolinas, from the year 1700 to the present time.

In reply to which I have to inform you, that Wheat is neither imported to, nor exported from the ports within my Consulate, nor is it grown for sale in the Carolinas: the only Grain imported is Indian Corn, for the use of the negroes and horses. The importations of Flour are large from the states of Maryland, Pennsylvania, and New York; and if the average prices for the last thirty years be required, they can be obtained.

I have the honour to be, &c.

To John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *Henry Newman.*
&c. &c. &c.

16.—SAVANNAH.

Copy of a LETTER from His Majesty's Consul at Savannah, dated November 20th, 1826.—(One Enclosure.)

SIR, British Consulate, Savannah, November 20th, 1826.

IN pursuance of the instructions contained in your circular Letter of the 29th June last, requiring me to state every expense affecting the passage of Corn, whether in the shape of transit duty in the interior, or of charge at the outport, and to transmit an account of the prices of the several sorts of Grain, and also of the quantities exported annually for a series of years, together with the average price of Wheat in Georgia from the year 1700.

I have the honour to state, that Rice and Indian Corn are the only species of Grain produced in the state of Georgia to any extent, and that there is no expense affecting their passage, either in the shape of transit duty in the interior, or of charge at the outport.

I beg leave to enclose (as far as the same can be ascertained with any degree of accuracy) an Account of the prices of the several sorts of Grain, and also of the quantities exported annually.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient and faithful servant,

John Bidwell Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Anthony L. Molyneux.

(Enclosure.)

AN ACCOUNT of the Average Prices of RICE, from the 1st July 1815 to the 1st October 1826.

YEAR	Prices in Cents per 100 *lbs.* at the undermentioned Dates.			
	1st January.	1st April.	1st July.	1st October.
1815 - -	- - -	- - -	325	362
1816 - -	362	362	375	450
1817 - -	537	650	575	575
1818 - -	575	587	575	675
1819 - -	675	525	375	425
1820 - -	375	325	350	325
1821 - -	287	275	262	275
1822 - -	281	281	275	275
1823 - -	275	275	318	331
1824 - -	250	275	275	350
1825 - -	262	300	262	262
1826 - -	275	250	250	300

AN ACCOUNT of the Annual Exports of RICE from Port of Savannah, from the Year 1816 to October 1st, 1826.

In what Year Exported.	Number of Tierces.	OBSERVATIONS.
1816 - -	25,531	From the circumstance of Georgia not producing sufficient Indian Corn for her own consumption, the exports of that article are very trifling, probably not averaging more than 4,000 bushels per annum.
1817 - -	15,792	
1818 - -	16,054	
1819 - -	12,629	The annual importation of Indian Corn into Georgia from North Carolina and Virginia, has of late years been very considerable. Sea Island Cotton, in some districts, is now found more profitable than Rice.
1820 - -	14,517	
1821 - -	15,705	
1822 - -	12,746	
1823 - -	11,560	
1824 - -	13,578	
1825 - -	7,121	
1826 - -	11,518	

British Consulate, Savannah,
November 20th, 1826.

A. L. Molyneux,
(H. M. Consul.)

FOREIGN CORN.

N° 2.

CONSULS RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to FOREIGN CORN, as far as the same can be made up.

GROWTH AND AVERAGE PRICES OF FOREIGN CORN.

October 1826 to January 1827.
In continuation of N° 27 *of the present Session.*

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
20 *February* 1827.

N° 1.

CONSULS RETURNS.

RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

LIST.

1.—LIBAU.	9.—ROTTERDAM.	17.—LEGHORN.
2.—GOTTENBURG.	10.—ANTWERP.	18.—VENICE.
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4.—DANTZIC.	12.—CHARENTE.	20.—TRIESTE.
5.—KONIGSBERG.	13.—BORDEAUX.	21.—ANCONA.
6.—MEMEL.	14.—MARSEILLES.	22.—CIVITA VECCHIA.
7.—HAMBRO'.	15.—VALENTIA.	23.—BOSTON.
8.—AMSTERDAM.	16.—BISCAY.	24.—BALTIMORE.

Board of Trade,
16 February 1827.

Thomas Lack.

July to December 1826;
Supplementary to N° 26 *of the present Session.*

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
20 *February* 1827.

RETURNS of the Prices of FOREIGN CORN;

1.—LIBAU.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week.									
Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week.									
Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
	Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*								
3d Week.									
Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
4th Week.									
Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									

Supplementary to those ordered to be printed 7 December 1826, N° 26.

- - - - - - - - 1.—LIBAU.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette Price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
533 ⅓ *s. eqs. p' £. sterling.*	636 *do. p' do.*	*£. sterling.*							
s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*							
22 4	18 9	54 9							
17 11	15 –	39 2							
17 3	14 6	34 4							The rise of prices abroad, and the expectation of an alteration in the British Corn Laws, have considerably advanced the prices of Grain here. The further run will entirely depend upon the actual demand from abroad, at the opening of the shipping season.
16 3	13 8	26 11							
No variation throughout this quarter.									

Libau, 31st Dec. 1826.

Francis Kienitz,
Consul.

2.—GOTTENBURG. - - - - - -

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Rye	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Oats	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Rye	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Oats	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
3d Week. Rye	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
3d Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
3d Week. Oats	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Rye	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Oats	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -

3.—CHRISTIANIA. - - - - - -

1st Week. Wheat	- - -	- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Rye	- - -	- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Barley	- - -	- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Oats	- - -	- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Wheat.									
2d Week. Rye.									
2d Week. Barley.									
2d Week. Oats.									
Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat.									
3d Week. Rye.									
3d Week. Barley.									
3d Week. Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat.									
4th Week. Rye.									
4th Week. Barley.									
4th Week. Oats.									

2.—GOTTENBURG.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
	12½ rix d. ba. p' £. sterling.	£. sterling.		12½ do.	£. sterling.		12½ do.	£. sterling.	
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	
- - -	38 7	54 9	- - -	42 5	54 3	- - -	64 4	56 5	
- - -	33 9	39 2	- - -	40 6	38 9	- - -	41 6	41 3	
- - -	24 1	34 4	- - -	27 –	37 1	- - -	26 –	37 1	
- - -	19 3	26 11	- - -	23 8	28 2	- - -	20 9	30 9	No remarks transmitted.
- - -	39 6	54 6	- - -	63 4	55 –	- - -	42 5	56 4	
- - -	34 9	37 4	- - -	40 6	40 11	- - -	38 7	41 3	
- - -	23 8	35 5	- - -	27 –	37 3	- - -	25 1	36 11	
- - -	19 3	27 7	- - -	23 8	28 7	- - -	21 8	30 5	
- - -	42 5	54 3	- - -	64 10	55 9	- - -	63 4	55 6	
- - -	38 7	38 3	- - -	40 6	38 10	- - -	46 5	39 4	
- - -	25 1	36 3	- - -	28 –	37 4	- - -	26 –	36 3	
- - -	21 8	27 8	- - -	23 8	29 4	- - -	21 8	29 4	Gottenburg, 31 Dec. 1826. *H. T. Liddell*, Consul.
- - -	41 6	54 1	- - -	63 4	55 11	- - -	64 4	54 4	
- - -	38 7	40 4	- - -	36 8	40 9	- - -	40 6	40 4	
- - -	26 –	36 11	- - -	26 –	37 –	- - -	26 –	35 9	
- - -	20 9	28 –	- - -	22 –	30 8	- - -	20 9	29 1	

3.—CHRISTIANIA.

* 4 dol. 44 sks. p' £. sterling.		6 dols. 42 sks p' £. sterling.		£. sterling.	* ditto.		6 dol. 72 sks p' £. sterling.		£. sterling.	* ditto.		6 dol. 68 sks. p' £. sterling		£. sterling.	
s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s. d.	
45	9	31	5	54 9	54	11	36	4	54 3	56	9	37	9	56 5	The prices are considerably higher than they have been for a length of time; but as the demands from the interior have fallen short of what was originally apprehended, it is presumed they have reached their maximum ; besides, one month more will probably bring fresh supplies from Denmark.
36	7	25	2	39 2	45	9	30	3	38 9	54	11	36	6	41 3	
31	2	21	5	34 4	34	10	23	–	37 1	41	2	27	4	37 1	
27	6	18	11	26 11	27	6	18	2	28 2	32	1	21	3	30 9	

No variation in the prices throughout either of the above months.

Christiania, 31 Dec. 1826.

Geo. Mygina,
Pro Consul.

4.—DANTZIC.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
	Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*								
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									

5—KÖNIGSBERG.

	20 *florins* p'£ *sterling.*	20 *fl.* 21 *gr.* per do.	£. *sterling.*	20 *florins* per do.	21 *florins* per do.	£. *sterling.*	20 *florins* per do.	21 ½ *florins* per do.	£. *sterling.*
	s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
1st Week. Wheat	18 5	17 5	55 11	18 5	17 6	57 7	21 –	19 9	56 3
Rye	11 7	11 –	39 7	11 7	11 –	43 11	13 2	12 4	38 9
Barley	7 4	6 11	28 8	13 2	12 6	32 –	15 9	14 10	35 2
Oats	6 10	6 6	24 10	8 5	8 –	27 3	10 6	9 10	30 7
2d Week. Wheat	18 5	17 5	56 5	– – –	The same	– – –	23 8	22 3	55 11
Rye	11 7	11 –	41 4	– – –	as	– – –	15 9	14 10	41 5
Barley	9 6	9 –	30 8	– – –	preceding	– – –	15 9	14 10	34 11
Oats	7 10	7 5	26 4	– – –	week.	– – –	13 2	12 4	28 1
3d Week. Wheat	– – –	The same	– – –	18 5	17 4	56 6	23 8	22 10	55 –
Rye	– – –	as	– – –	11 7	11 –	41 9	18 5	17 9	39 –
Barley	– – –	preceding	– – –	13 2	12 5	32 9	18 5	17 9	34 2
Oats	– – –	week.	– – –	9 6	8 11	28 3	13 2	12 4	27 –
4th Week. Wheat				18 5	17 3	55 8	– – –	The same	
Rye	– – –	D°	– – –	11 6	10 9	37 11	– – –	as	—
Barley				13 2	12 4	34 1	– – –	preceding	
Oats				9 6	8 11	29 4	– – –	week.	

4.—DANTZIC.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
19½ *fl.* p' £. *sterling.*	20 *fl.* 21 *gr.* *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	19½ *fl.* *per do.*	20 *fl.* 25½ *gr.* *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	19½ *fl.* *per do.*	20 *fl.* 21 *gr.* *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	
s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
28 5	26 9	54 9	26 7	24 10	54 3	29 4	27 9	56 5	*At Dantzic:*
18 8	17 7	39 2	19 1	17 11	38 9	21 –	19 10	41 3	*Wheat:* The market dull; about 256,000 qrs. Win[r]. exported this year, and about 261,000 qrs. in store. The supplies next year are not expected to be so great as those of the present.
17 8	16 8	34 4	18 2	17 –	37 1	20 6	19 5	37 1	
14 11	14 1	26 11	14 11	13 11	28 2	16 9	15 –	30 9	
29 4	27 8	54 6	27 6	25 9	55 –	28 11	27 3	56 4	*Rye:* Purchases making: about 16,200 qrs. were shipped during this year, and about 17,000 qrs. remain in store. A good deal is expected next season.
18 8	17 7	37 4	19 1	17 11	40 11	20 6	19 4	41 3	
17 8	16 8	35 5	18 2	17 –	37 3	20 6	19 4	36 11	
14 11	14 1	27 7	14 5	13 6	28 7	16 9	15 10	30 5	
29 4	27 7	54 3	28 5	26 7	55 9	28 11	27 3	55 6	*Barley:* No purchases: about 1,510 qrs. Win[r]. were exported this year; and about 1,650 qrs. in store It is not expected there will be much for exportation next year.
18 8	17 6	38 3	19 7	18 4	38 10	21 –	19 9	39 4	
17 8	16 8	36 3	19 1	17 11	37 4	20 1	18 11	36 3	
14 11	14 –	27 8	15 10	14 10	29 4	16 9	15 10	29 4	
									Oats: Nothing doing: about 7,700 qrs. were exported, and 8,300 qrs. in store. No supplies of consequence expected next year.
26 7	24 10	54 1	29 4	27 8	55 11	28 11	27 4	54 4	*At Elbing:* The exports were very trifling during the last year; and the stock on hand is inconsiderable.
19 1	17 11	40 4	20 6	19 4	40 9	21 –	19 10	40 4	
18 2	17 –	36 11	19 1	18 –	37 –	20 1	19 –	35 9	
14 11	13 11	28 –	16 4	15 4	30 8	16 9	15 10	29 1	

Dantzic, 31st Dec. 1826.

Alex. Gibsone,
Consul.

5.—KÖNIGSBERG.

						20 *florins* *per do.*	20 *fl.* 18 *gr.* *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	
						s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	29 –	28 1	56 5	The quantity of grain exported from Königsberg in 1826, was,—
- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	19 5	18 10	41 3	*Qrs Imp.*
- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	15 9	14 4	37 1	All sorts included - - 129,150
- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	14 3	13 10	30 9	And the stock on hand is 210,672
The prices for these two months have not been received.						No variation throughout the month.			

Königsberg, 31st Dec. 1826.

T. de Grenier Fonblanque,
Consul.

6.—MEMEL.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush.' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye									
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats									
Returns up to this quarter inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
4th Week. Rye									
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats									

7.—HAMBRO'.

1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye									
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats									
Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
4th Week. Rye									
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats									

6.—MEMEL.

October.			November.			December.			
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	REMARKS.
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
	*206 *sil. gros £. sterling.*	*£. sterling.*		** ditto.*	*£. sterling.*		** 207 ditto.*	*£. sterling.*	
s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
21 4	20 8	54 9	21 4	20 8	54 3	21 4	20 7	56 5	No Remarks transmitted.
18 8	18 1	39 2	18 8	18 1	38 9	18 8	18 –	41 3	
16 5	15 6	34 4	16 –	15 6	37 1	16 –	15 6	37 1	
14 8	14 3	26 11	13 4	13 –	28 2	13 4	12 11	30 9	
21 4	20 8	54 6	21 4	20 6	55 –	- - -	The same as preceding week.	—	
18 8	18 1	37 4	18 8	17 11	40 11	- - -			
16 –	15 6	35 5	16 –	15 4	37 3	- - -			
13 4	13 –	27 7	13 4	12 9	28 7	- - -			
- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	21 4	20 6	55 9	21 4	20 8	55 6	
		- - -	18 8	17 11	38 10	18 8	18 1	39 4	
		- - -	16 –	15 4	37 4	16 –	15 6	36 3	
		- - -	13 4	12 10	29 4	13 4	13 –	29 4	Memel, 31st Dec. 1826.
									Fred[k] Chatfield, Consul.
- - -	- D° -	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	—	

7.—HAMBRO'.

*34*s.* 11¼ *d. fl. p' £. sterling.*	*36s. 8d. fl. per do.*	*£. sterling.*	** ditto.*	*36s. 10d..*	*£. sterling.*	** ditto.*	*36s . 4d.*	*£. sterling.*	
s *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
26 9	25 6	54 9	28 4	26 11	54 3	34 9	33 5	56 5	The prices herein quoted at current rate, being those paid to the farmer, are below the prices of Corn fit for the English market.
23 11	22 5	39 2	25 10	24 6	38 9	31 3	30 –	41 3	
22 4	21 3	34 4	21 8	20 7	37 1	24 10	23 11	37 1	
21 4	20 4	26 11	21 8	20 7	28 2	23 11	23 –	30 9	
27 5	26 1	54 6	27 8	26 7	55 –	33 5	32 2	56 4	The advance in the prices of Wheat and Rye in November and December is attributable to the Foreign demand which existed at that time.
24 10	23 8	37 4	26 5	25 1	40 11	29 11	28 10	41 3	
21 8	20 8	35 5	22 4	21 2	37 3	24 10	23 11	36 11	
21 4	20 4	27 7	21 8	20 7	28 7	23 11	23 –	30 5	
28 4	27 –	54 3	31 3	29 9	55 9	29 8	28 9	55 6	
24 3	23 1	38 3	28 8	27 4	38 10	28 8	27 10	39 4	
21 8	20 8	36 3	22 4	21 3	37 4	22 4	21 8	36 3	
21 8	20 8	27 3	23 11	22 9	29 4	21 –	20 5	29 4	Hambro', 31st Dec. 1826.
28 4	26 11	54 1	32 10	31 5	55 11	30 7	29 8	54 4	*Henry Canning.* Consul Gen[l].
25 10	24 6	40 4	30 3	28 11	40 9	28 8	27 10	40 4	
21 –	20 –	36 11	24 10	23 9	37 –	22 4	21 8	35 9	
21 8	20 7	28 –	23 11	22 10	30 8	20 5	19 9	29 1	

8.—AMSTERDAM.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									

9.—ROTTERDAM.

1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									

8.—AMSTERDAM.

October.			November.			December.			
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	REMARKS.
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
11 *fl.* p' £. *sterling.*	*fl.* 40. 5. p' £. *sterling.*	£. *sterling.*		*fl.* 40. 4. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*		*fl.* 40. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	
- - -	28 1	54 9	— -	—	—	— -	—	—	The decline of the London market for Oats, in consequence of the large arrivals, influenced this market in a similar way, chiefly on account of the want of purchasers, the quantity offering for sale being very trifling, and hardly any of it consisting of heavy quality. The Stock remaining on hand is extremely small, and any demand, however limited, would soon raise prices to their former pitch.
- - -	26 –	39 2	- - -	27 –	38 9	—	—	—	
- - -	23 –	34 4	- - -	21 10	37 1	—	—	—	
- - -	24 10	26 11	- - -	22 6	28 2	- - -	22 8	30 9	
- - -	30 8	54 6	- - -	27 10	55 –	- - -	30 9	56 4	In the Province of Groningen, from whence the chief supplies are derived, all the old Stock has been exported, and above three-fifths of the new crop; very few heavy Oats are remaining; and these are re-purchasing by the farmers for seed, as what still comes to market is of very trifling weight. Rye has maintained its value, the consumption of it in this country being considerable, and the Stock every where very scanty. The freight of Oats to London, advanced from 3*s.* to 4*s.* per quarter, during the shipping season.
- - -	27 2	37 4	- - -	27 10	40 11	—	—	—	
- - -	24 7	35 5	- - -	22 8	37 3	- - -	23 5	36 11	
- - -	24 3	27 7	- - -	24 3	28 7	- - -	23 5	30 5	
- - -	30 5	54 3	- - -	33 –	55 9	- - -	32 –	55 6	The Exchange has experienced a slight decline during this quarter.
- - -	27 10	38 3	- - -	29 1	38 10	- - -	30 9	39 4	
- - -	24 10	36 3	- - -	22 7	37 4	- - -	22 –	36 3	
- - -	23 4	27 8	- - -	27 2	29 4	- - -	25 11	29 4	
- - -	29 9	54 1	- - -	35 5	55 11	—	—	—	Amsterdam, 31st December 1826.
- - -	26 –	40 4	- - -	31 6	40 9	- - -	27 7	40 4	
- - -	22 6	36 11	- - -	24 8	37 –	- - -	27 9	35 9	*Rob' Melvil*, Consul.
- - -	24 2	28 –	- - -	28 5	30 8	- - -	21 9	29 1	

9.—ROTTERDAM.

11 guilders p' £. *sterling*	12 guilders per do.	£. *sterling.*	11 guilders. per do.	12½. guilds. per do.	£. *sterling.*	11 guilders. per do.	12½ guilds. per do.	£. *sterling.*	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
43 1	39 6	54 9	38 9	35 8	54 3	45 9	42 3	56 5	No additional remarks transmitted.
31 2	28 7	39 2	31 2	28 7	38 9	34 7	32 –	41 3	
24 6	22 6	34 4	22 4	20 6	37 1	28 2	26 –	37 1	
30 10	28 4	26 11	33 7	30 10	28 2	40 –	36 11	30 9	
43 7	40 –	54 6	38 9	35 8	55 –	43 7	40 4	56 4	
31 8	29 1	37 4	32 8	30 –	40 11	34 3	31 8	41 3	
24 6	22 6	35 5	23 7	21 8	37 3	27 3	25 2	36 11	
30 10	28 4	27 7	38 2	35 –	28 7	38 2	35 3	30 5	
43 7	40 –	54 3	49 4	45 7	55 9	43 7	40 4	55 6	
31 2	28 7	38 3	36 4	33 7	38 10	33 9	31 2	39 4	
23 5	21 6	36 3	30 10	28 6	37 4	24 –	22 2	36 3	
31 9	21 2	27 8	38 2	35 3	29 4	36 4	33 7	29 4	
- - -	The same	- - -	46 8	43 2	55 11	- -	Corn Exchange	—	Rotterdam, 31st December 1826.
- - -	as	- - -	34 7	32 –	40 9	- -	shut on account		
- - -	preceding	- - -	30 –	27 8	37 –	- -	of the		*Alex' Ferrier*, Consul
- - -	week.	- - -	38 2	35 3	30 8	- -	Holidays.		

10.—ANTWERP.

ARTICLES.	July.			August			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quart of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quart of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quart of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats.									
Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									

11.—HAVRE DE GRÂCE.

1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									

10.—ANTWERP.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
11 *fl.* 6 *st.* 10 *d.* p' £. *sterling*	12 *fl.* 6 *st.* 10 *d.* p' £ *sterling.*	£. *sterling.*	11 *fl.* 6 *st.* 10 *d.* p' £. *sterling.*	12 *fl.* 3 *st.* p' £. *sterling.*	£. *sterling.*	11 *fl.* 6 *st.* 10 *d.* p' £. *sterling.*	12 *fl.* 1 *st.* p' £. *sterling.*	£. *sterling.*	
s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
35 6	33 3	54 9	38 9	36 2	54 3	42 –	39 6	56 5	
29 1	27 2	39 2	30 2	28 –	38 9	30 2	28 4	41 3	No additional Remarks transmitted.
21 6	20 2	34 4	21 6	20 1	37 1	25 10	24 –	37 1	
28 –	26 2	26 11	25 10	24 1	28 2	25 10	24 –	30 9	
									Price of Freight:
36 7	34 2	54 6	38 9	36 3	55 –	40 11	38 5	56 4	Wheat at 4/ p' quar^{r} and 10 p' cent.
29 1	27 2	37 4	30 2	28 2	40 11	30 2	28 4	41 3	
21 6	20 1	35 5	21 6	20 2	37 3	23 8	22 3	36 11	Rye and Barley at 3/3 d^{o} and d^{o}.
20 6	19 1	27 7	30 2	28 2	28 7	28 –	26 3	30 5	Oats at 2/9 d^{o} and d^{o}.
- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	39 10	37 4	55 9	- - -	The same as preceding week.	—	
- - -		- - -	30 2	28 3	38 10	- - -			
- - -		- - -	23 8	22 2	37 4	- - -			
- - -		- - -	30 2	28 3	29 4	- - -			
									Antwerp, 31 Dec. 1826.
			43 1	40 4	55 11	39 10	37 6	54 4	*I. J. De Hochepied Larpent,*
- - -	- D^{o} -	- - -	31 3	29 3	40 9	30 2	28 4	40 4	Consul.
			25 10	24 3	37 –	23 8	22 4	35 9	
			30 2	28 3	30 8	24 9	23 4	29 1	

11.—HAVRE DE GRÂCE.

25 *f.* 20 c. p' £. *sterling.*	25 *f.* 40 c. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	25 *f.* 20 c. p' £ *sterling.*	25 *f.* 40 c. *per. do.*	£. *sterling.*	25 *f.* 20 c. p' £. *sterling.*	25 *f.* 40 c. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	
s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
41 3	41 –	54 9	42 6	42 3	54 3	41 –	40 6	56 5	None additional transmitted.
19 6	19 3	39 2	20 6	20 3	38 9	21 9	21 3	41 3	
21 3	21 –	34 4	22 –	21 9	37 1	23 6	23 3	37 1	
19 3	19 –	26 11	20 –	19 9	28 2	20 4	20 1	30 9	
No variation in price during either of the above months.									
									Havre, 31 Dec. 1826.
									Arch^{d} Gordon,
									Consul.

12.—CHARENTE.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat.									
2d Week. Rye.									
2d Week. Barley.									
2d Week. Oats.									
3d Week. Wheat.									
3d Week. Rye.									
3d Week. Barley.									
3d Week. Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat.									
4th Week. Rye.									
4th Week. Barley.									
4th Week. Oats.									

Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

13.—BORDEAUX.

1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye									
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats									
3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
4th Week. Rye									
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats									

Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

12.—CHARENTE.

October.			November.			December.			
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	REMARKS.
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
		£. *sterling.*			£. *sterling.*			£. *sterling.*	
s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
33 1	31 9	54 9	33 1	31 9	54 3	34 8	33 4	56 5	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
12 10	12 2	34 4	15 9	15 2	37 1	17 4	16 7	37 1	
11 10	11 4	26 11	18 1	17 4	28 2	20 9	19 11	30 9	No remarks transmitted.
No variation in price during either of the above months.									
									Charente, 31st December 1826. *J. Close, jun.* Pro Consul.

13.—BORDEAUX.

	25*f.* 50 c. p'£.*sterling*	£.*sterling.*		25*f.* 50 c.	£. *sterling.*		25*f.* 40 c.	£. *sterling.*	
s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	
36 9	34 7	54 9	37 11	35 8	54 3	42 –	39 8	56 5	There are no expenses affecting the passage of Corn and Grain through the several ports within this Consulate, whether levied in the shape of transit duty in the interior, or of charge at the out-port.
22 8	21 4	39 2	22 8	21 4	38 9	24 11	23 6	41 3	
17 –	16 –	34 4	17 6	16 6	37 1	19 3	18 2	37 1	
17 –	16 –	26 11	17 –	16 –	28 2	20 4	19 3	30 9	
No variation throughout the month.			39 1	36 9	55 –	44 4	41 10	56 4	
			22 8	21 4	40 11	26 –	24 7	41 3	
			18 1	17 1	37 3	20 4	19 3	36 11	
			17 6	16 6	28 7	20 11	19 9	30 5	
– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	The same	– – –	44 11	42 5	55 6	
– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	as	– – –	26 7	25 2	39 4	
– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	preceding	– – –	20 4	19 3	36 3	
– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	week.	– – –	22 1	20 3	29 4	
– – –	– – –	– – –	40 3	37 11	55 11	– – –	The same as preceding week.	—	Bordeaux, 31st December 1826. *Henry Scott*, Consul.
– – –	– – –	– – –	23 9	22 5	40 9	– – –			
– – –	– – –	– – –	18 1	17 1	37 –	– – –			
– – –	– – –	– – –	18 8	17 7	30 8	– – –			

14.—MARSEILLES.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats									

Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
4th Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats									

15.—VALENTIA.

1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th Week. Wheat									
4th Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

14.—MARSEILLES.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r}. of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
* 25 *f.* 20 c. p' £. *sterling.*	25 *f.* 65 c. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	* *ditto.*	25 *f.* 55 c. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	* *ditto.*	25 *f.* 50 c. *per do.*	£. *sterling.*	
s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	
52 3	51 4	54 9	53 1	52 4	54 3	55 4	54 8	56 5	The total expense attending the passage of Corn from the place of its growth in the Upper Languedoc to Marseilles, the port of shipment, amounts to about 2 francs the hectolitre, or 4 *s.* 7½*d.* per quarter Winchester.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
27 9	27 3	34 4	27 9	27 4	37 1	27 9	27 5	37 1	
23 2	22 10	26 11	26 3	25 1	28 2	22 7	22 4	30 9	
52 3	51 5	54 6	55 3	54 5	55 —	55 4	54 10	56 4	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
29 2	28 9	35 5	27 9	27 3	37 3	27 9	27 5	36 11	
23 2	22 11	27 7	26 3	25 10	28 7	22 7	22 4	30 5	
51 11	51 2	54 3	53 7	52 10	55 9	56 3	55 7	55 6	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
27 9	27 4	36 3	27 9	27 4	37 4	27 9	27 5	36 3	Marseilles, 31st Dec. 1826.
23 10	23 6	27 8	26 3	25 1	29 4	22 7	22 4	29 4	*Alex^{r} Turnbull,* Consul.
52 1	51 5	54 1	53 7	52 11	55 11	57 3	56 7	54 4	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
27 9	27 4	36 11	27 9	27 5	37 —	27 9	27 5	35 9	
26 3	25 1	28 —	22 7	22 4	30 8	28 2	27 10	29 1	

15.—VALENTIA.

* 36*d.* p'dol. of Exch.	35 *d.* p' *do.*	£. *sterling.*	* *ditto.*	35 *d.*	£. *sterling.*	* *ditto.*	35 *d.*	£. *sterling,*	
s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	
68 6	66 7	54 9	68 6	66 7	54 3	70 3	68 3	56 5	None additional transmitted.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
25 8	24 11	31 4	24 —	23 4	37 1	22 3	21 7	37 1	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	72 —	70 —	56 4	
						—	—	—	
						22 3	21 7	36 11	
						—	—	—	
68 6	66 7	54 3	70 3	68 3	55 9	- - -	The same as preceding week.	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
24 —	23 4	36 3	24 —	23 4	37 4	- - -			
—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	70 3	68 3	55 11	- - -	- D°	—	Alicante, 31st Dec. 1826.
			—	—	—				*Jasper Waring,* Consul.
			22 3	21 7	37 —				
			—	—	—				

16.—BISCAY.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quart of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quart of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quart of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
2d Week. Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
	Returns for this quarter have not been received. *E. J. L.*								
3d Week. Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat.									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									

17.—LEGHORN.

1st Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									
	Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*								
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									

16.—BISCAY.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling,		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
36½ d. sterl. p'dol. Exch.	36⅛ d. sterl. per do.	£. sterling.							
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.							
35 –	35 5	54 9							No Remarks transmitted.
No other Grain is produced in this district.									
			No variation throughout the quarter.						
									Bilboa, 31st December 1826.
									John Clark, Consul.

17.—LEGHORN.

48 d. sterl. p' pezza.	49 d. sterl. p' ditto.	£. sterling.	48 d.	49 d.	£. sterling.	48 d.	49 d.	£. sterling.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
30 2	30 11	54 9	33 4	34 –	54 3	39 –	39 10	56 5	*Extent of Stock in Granaries:*
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
13 6	13 10	34 4	16 1	16 4	37 1	17 4	17 8	37 1	Wheat, about 39,860 Quar^{s} Win^{r}.
11 8	11 11	26 11	13 6	13 9	28 2	15 5	15 9	30 9	Barley - - 650 d° d°
									Oats - - - 400 d° d°
									Total - 40,710
31 6	32 1	54 6	34 4	34 9	55 –	39 –	39 10	56 4	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
13 6	13 10	35 5	16 8	17 –	37 3	16 8	17 –	36 11	*Freight:*
11 8	11 11	27 7	14 2	14 6	28 7	15 5	15 9	30 5	From 9s. to 10s. per quarter, and £. 10. per cent for primage.
31 6	32 1	54 3	34 4	34 9	55 9	- - -	The same as	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—				
14 10	15 1	36 3	16 8	17 –	37 3	- - -	preceding		
12 3	12 6	27 8	14 10	15 1	29 4	- - -	week.		
									Leghorn, 31st Dec. 1826.
32 1	32 9	54 1	37 4	37 4	55 11	- -	- D°	—	*John Falconar*, Consul.
—	—	—	—	—	—				
15 5	15 9	36 11	16 8	17 –	37 –				
12 10	13 2	28 –	15 5	15 9	30 8				

18.—VENICE.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Rye	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Barley	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st Week. Oats	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Oats									

Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament.
E. J. L.

3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Rye	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Barley	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th Week. Oats	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -

19.—FIUME.

1st Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Rye.									
1st Week. Barley.									
1st Week. Oats.									
2d Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
2d Week. Rye.									
2d Week. Barley.									
2d Week. Oats.									

Returns up to this quarter have been already laid before Parliament.
E. J. L.

3d Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
3d Week. Rye.									
3d Week. Barley.									
3d Week. Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Rye.									
4th Week. Barley.									
4th Week. Oats.									

18.—VENICE.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
* 52½ d. stg. p' dol.	47½ d. p' do.	£. sterling.	* ditto.	47¾ d. per do.	£. sterling.	* ditto.	47⅞ d.	£. sterling.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
27 5	24 11	54 9	34 3	31 4	54 3	44 6	40 10	56 5	No additional Remarks transmitted.
- - -	- - -	- - -	21 10	20 -	38 9	25 5	23 3	41 3	
10 2	9 3	26 11	10 2	9 3	28 2	12 -	11 4	30 9	
- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	40 8	37 1	55 -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	—	
			25 5	23 2	40 11				
			11 5	10 5	28 7				
- - -	- D° -	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	- D°	—	
34 3	31 4	54 1	- - -	- - -	- - -	41 5	38 1	54 4	Venice, 31st Dec. 1826.
21 10	20 -	40 4	- - -	- D° -	- - -	28 5	26 2	40 4	*W. T. Money,*
10 2	9 3	28 -				12 9	11 7	29 1	Consul General.

19.—FIUME.

* 9 fl. 25 k. p' £. sterling.	10 fl. 8 k.	£. sterling.	* ditto.	10 fl. 5 k.	£. sterling.	* ditto.	10 fl. 5 k.	£. sterling.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
23 11	22 2	54 9	31 4	29 3	54 3	33 -	30 9	56 5	The Expense of putting a Quarter of Wheat on board, the 28th December, was as follows:—
									s. d.
									Duty - - - 1 ⅔ sterᵍ.
									Shipping Expenses - 6
24 8	22 11	54 6	- - -	- - -	- - -	34 7	32 4	56 4	Freight - - 16 -
									16 7⅓
									Prime Cost, as paid to Farmer at Current Rate of Exchange - - 32 7
26 4	24 7	54 3	No variation throughout the month.			34 7	32 7	55 6	Total - - £. 49 2⅔
									Exclusive of Insurance.
28 -	26 2	54 1	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	—	Fiume, 31st Dec. 1826.
									John Leard,
									Consul General.

20.—TRIESTE.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Oats									
Barley									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									

21.—ANCONA.

	not quoted.	4 scudi $\frac{80}{100}$ p'£. *sterling.*	£. *sterling.*		4 sc. $\frac{80}{100}$	£. *sterling.*		4 sc. $\frac{80}{100}$	£. *sterling.*
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1st Week. Wheat	20 3	19 2	55 11	26 6	25 –	57 7	26 11	25 10	56 3
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
2d Week. Wheat	20 8	19 7	56 5	26 11	25 10	57 2	27 4	25 10	55 11
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
3d Week. Wheat	22 11	21 8	56 10	26 9	24 7	56 6	27 4	25 10	55 –
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat	25 1	23 9	57 4	26 11	25 10	55 8	26 6	25 –	55 4
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									

20.—TRIESTE.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
	10 *fl.* 8 *k.*	*£. sterling.*		10 *fl.* 6 *k.*	*£. sterling.*		10 *fl.* 1 *k.*	*£. sterling.*	
s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	
25 5	23 7	54 9	32 7	30 5	54 3	36 2	34 –	56 5	
19 11	18 6	39 2	21 9	20 3	38 9	23 7	22 2	41 3	
16 4	15 2	34 4	18 1	16 10	37 1	19 11	18 9	37 1	
10 10	10 1	26 11	12 8	11 10	28 2	14 6	13 7	30 9	None additional transmitted.
- - -	The same as preceding week.	- -	- -	The same as preceding week.	- -	- -	The same as preceding week.	—	
- - -	- D° -	- - -	- - -	- D° -	- - -	- - -	- D° -	—	Trieste, 31st Dec. 1826.
									George During, Consul.
25 5	23 9	54 1	36 2	33 7	55 11	36 2	34 –	54 4	
19 11	18 7	40 4	23 7	21 11	40 9	23 7	22 2	40 4	
16 4	15 3	36 11	19 11	18 6	37 –	19 11	18 9	35 9	
12 8	11 10	28 –	14 6	13 7	30 8	16 4	15 4	29 1	

21.—ANCONA.

									Stock on hand, 67,000 qrs. Winchester.
The Returns for this quarter are not yet received. *E. J. L.*									
									Ancona, 30th Sept. 1826. *John Parke,* Consul General for the Papal States.

22.—CIVITA VECCHIA.

ARTICLES.	July. Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling. at par of	July. at current rate of Exchange of	July. Gazette price of English, for same period.	August. Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling. at par of	August. at current rate of Exchange of	August. Gazette price of English, for same period.	September. Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling. at par of	September. at current rate of Exchange of	September. Gazette price of English, for same period.
	not quoted.	*not quoted.*	£. *sterling.*			£. *sterling.*			£. *sterling.*
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1st Week. Wheat	28 8	27 1	55 11	26 11	25 10	57 7	28 3	26 8	56 3
1st Week. Rye									
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat	29 7	27 11	56 5	27 4	25 10	57 2	28 3	26 8	55 11
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats									
3d Week. Wheat	26 –	24 7	56 10	30 –	28 –	56 6	30 –	28 4	55 –
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat	25 1	23 9	5 4	30 11	29 2	55 8	31 9	30 –	54 11
4th Week. Rye									
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats									

23.—BOSTON.

			£. *sterling.*			£. *sterling.*			£. *sterling.*
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1st Week. Wheat	None grown.			None grown.			None grown.		
1st Week. Rye	25 2	22 8	39 7	27 –	24 4	43 11	28 9	25 7	38 9
1st Week. Barley	29 6	26 6	28 8	29 10	26 11	32 –	32 4	29 2	35 2
1st Week. Oats	20 11	18 9	24 10	21 7	19 5	27 3	21 7	19 5	30 7
2d Week. Wheat	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	None grown.			- - -	The same as preceding week.	—
2d Week. Rye	- - -		- - -	27 –	24 7	43 6	- - -		
2d Week. Barley	- - -		- - -	30 7	27 9	32 1	- - -		
2d Week. Oats	- - -		- - -	21 7	19 8	27 3	- - -		
3d Week. Wheat	None grown.			None grown.					
3d Week. Rye	27 –	24 4	40 6	27 –	24 7	41 9	- - -	D°	—
3d Week. Barley	29 6	26 6	31 3	31 –	28 2	32 9			
3d Week. Oats	20 11	18 9	26 7	21 7	19 8	28 3			
4th Week. Wheat	None grown.			None grown.			None grown.		
4th Week. Rye	27 –	24 4	41 5	28 9	25 7	37 11	28 9	21 7	38 10
4th Week. Barley	29 10	26 11	31 4	32 6	29 6	34 1	32 4	29 6	34 –
4th Week. Oats	21 7	19 5	26 10	21 7	19 5	29 4	21 7	19 1	27 8

22.—CIVITA VECCHIA.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
									No remarks transmitted.
The Returns for this quarter are not yet arrived. *E. J. L.*									
									Civita Vecchia, 30th September 1826. *John Parke,* Consul General.

23.—BOSTON.

									None transmitted.
The Returns for this quarter are not yet arrived. *E. J. L.*									
									Boston, 30th Sept. 1826. *George Manners,* Consul.

24.—BALTIMORE.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush's in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush's in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush's in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
			£. sterling.			£. sterling.			£. sterling.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1st Week. Wheat	38 –	32 9	55 11	32 5	29 6	57 7	32 5	29 6	56 3
1st Week. Rye	27 –	24 7	39 7	25 2	22 11	43 11	19 9	17 10	38 9
1st Week. Barley	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st Week. Oats	21 7	19 8	24 10	28 –	26 4	27 3	14 4	12 11	30 7
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats									
3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
4th Week. Rye									
4th Week. Barley									
4th Week. Oats									

No variation in the above prices during either of the months.

E. J. L.

Board of Trade,
Whitehall,
16th February 1827.

24.—BALTIMORE.

October,			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
									The expenses attending the shipment of Flour or Grain at this Port are very trifling, there being no duty on exportation. The quantity of Corn and Grain on hand within this Consulate may be estimated at about one year's supply, there having been but little of the new crop as yet brought to market.
The Returns for this quarter are not yet received. *E. J. L.*									
									Baltimore, 30th Sept. 1826. *John Crawford,* Consul.

THOMAS LACK.

FOREIGN CORN.

N° 1.

CONSULS RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

July to December 1826;
Supplementary to N° 26, *of the present Session.*

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
20 *February* 1827.

FOREIGN CORN.

FURTHER ACCOUNTS:

N° 1.

CONSULS RETURNS.

RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

LIST.

25.—ODESSA.	28.—CIVITA VECCHIA
26.—CADIZ.	29.—ANCONA.
27.—MALAGA.	

Board of Trade,
26 February 1827.

Thomas Lack.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
27 *February* 1827.

Further ACCOUNTS of the Prices of FOREIGN CORN;

25.—ODESSA.

ARTICLES.	January.			February.			March.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
	No par of Exchange.	*24 roubles p'£. sterling.*	*£. sterling.*		*23r. 50c. per do.*	*£. sterling.*		*23r. 90c. per do.*	*£. sterling.*
		s. d.	*s. d.*		*s. d.*	*s. d.*		*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1st Week. Wheat hard	- - -	21 1	60 1	- - -	21 7	61 1	- - -	20 1	56 5
1st Week. Wheat soft	- - -	16 8		- - -	17 –		- - -	15 7	
1st Week. Rye	- - -	5 7	43 1	- - -	5 7	41 5	- - -	5 7	40 –
1st Week. Barley	- - -	5 7	37 2	- - -	5 7	37 –	- - -	5 7	32 3
1st Week. Oats	- - -	6 1	24 11	- - -	6 2	24 4	- - -	6 2	22 4
2d Week. Wheat hard	- - -	20 7	59 5	- - -	20 6	60 –	- - -	19 8	55 11
2d Week. Wheat soft	- - -	16 8		- - -	15 10		- - -	15 4	
2d Week. Rye	- - -	5 7	45 6	- - -	5 7	41 3	- - -	5 6	43 5
2d Week. Barley	- - -	5 7	36 7	- - -	5 7	36 7	- - -	5 6	31 5
2d Week. Oats	- - -	6 1	24 11	- - -	6 2	23 11	- - -	6 1	22 5
3d Week. Wheat hard	- - -	21 6	60 3	- - -	20 1	58 8	- - -	19 5	54 11
3d Week. Wheat soft	- - -	16 11		- - -	15 7		- - -	15 2	
3d Week. Rye	- - -	5 7	42 4	- - -	5 7	46 1	- - -	5 5	43 2
3d Week. Barley	- - -	5 7	37 1	- - -	5 7	35 2	- - -	5 5	30 2
3d Week. Oats	- - -	6 1	25 2	- - -	6 2	22 8	- - -	6 –	22 4
4th Week. Wheat hard	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -
4th Week. Wheat soft	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -
4th Week. Rye	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -
4th Week. Barley	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -
4th Week. Oats	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -

ARTICLES.	† July.			August.			September.		
	No par of Exchange.	*24 r. 40 c. p'£. sterling.*	*£. sterling.*		*24 r. 40 c. per do.*	*£. sterling.*		*23 r. 90 c. per do.*	*£. sterling.*
		s. d.	*s. d.*		*s. d.*	*s. d.*		*s. d.*	*s. d.*
1st Week. Wheat hard	- - -	16 11	55 11	- - -	15 4	57 7	- - -	15 7	56 3
1st Week. Wheat soft	- - -	13 1		- - -	13 1		- - -	14 5	
1st Week. Rye	- - -	4 4	39 7	- - -	4 4	43 11	- - -	4 5	38 9
1st Week. Barley	- - -	4 4	28 8	- - -	4 4	32 –	- - -	4 7	35 2
1st Week. Oats	- - -	5 6	24 10	- - -	5 5	27 3	- - -	6 8	30 7
2d Week. Wheat hard	- - -	16 2	56 5	- - -	15 4	57 2	- - -	15 8	55 11
2d Week. Wheat soft	- - -	12 5		- - -	13 8		- - -	14 7	
2d Week. Rye	- - -	4 4	41 4	- - -	4 4	43 6	- - -	4 6	41 5
2d Week. Barley	- - -	4 4	30 8	- - -	4 4	32 1	- - -	4 6	34 11
2d Week. Oats	- - -	5 5	26 4	- - -	5 5	27 3	- - -	5 8	28 1
3d Week. Wheat hard	- - -	15 8	56 10	- - -	15 7	56 6	- - -	15 8	55 –
3d Week. Wheat soft	- - -	12 5		- - -	13 11		- - -	14 7	
3d Week. Rye	- - -	4 4	40 6	- - -	4 5	41 9	- - -	4 6	39 –
3d Week. Barley	- - -	4 4	31 3	- - -	5 7	32 9	- - -	4 6	34 2
3d Week. Oats	- - -	5 5	26 7	- - -	5 7	28 3	- - -	5 8	27 –
4th Week. Wheat hard	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -	- - -	The same as preceding week.	- - -
4th Week. Wheat soft	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -
4th Week. Rye	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -
4th Week. Barley	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -
4th Week. Oats	- - -			- - -			- - -		- - -

Additional to those ordered to be printed 20 February, N° 82. of the present Session.

25.—ODESSA.

April.			May.			June. †		
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
	23 r. 50 c. per do.	£. sterling.		24 r. 40 c. per do.	£. sterling.		24 r. 40 c. per do.	£. sterling.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
- - -	19 10	58 6	- - -	18 7	60 5	- - -	18 7	57 3
- - -	15 4		- - -	14 2		- - -	14 2	
- - -	5 1	36 7	- - -	4 11	35 –	- - -	4 5	33 11
- - -	5 1	31 10	- - -	4 11	30 1	- - -	4 5	28 11
- - -	5 8	23 4	- - -	5 6	24 2	- - -	5 6	23 4
- - -	20 5	59 4				The same as preceding week.		—
- - -	15 6							
- - -	5 1	35 10	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -		
- - -	5 1	32 6						
- - -	5 8	23 6						
- - -	19 10	60 1	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	18 6	56 7
- - -	15 6		No varation throughout the month.				13 5	
- - -	5 1	38 7					4 6	42 8
- - -	5 1	31 11					4 6	28 7
- - -	5 8	23 10	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	5 8	22 11
- - -	19 5	60 9	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	17 9	56 5
- - -	15 –		- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	13 4	
- - -	5 –	35 4	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	4 5	38 9
- - -	5 –	31 4	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	4 5	29 –
- - -	5 7	24 4	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	5 7	23 7

October.			November.			December.		
	23 r. 80 c. per do.	£. sterling.		24 r. 20 c. per do.	£. sterling.		23 r. 80 c. per do.	£. sterling.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
- - -	14 7	54 9	- - -	14 11	54 3	- - -	15 8	56 5
- - -	14 7		- - -	14 4		- - -	11 3	
- - -	4 6	39 2	- - -	4 5	38 9	- - -	5 5	41 3
- - -	4 6	34 4	- - -	4 5	37 1	- - -	5 5	37 1
- - -	5 8	26 11	- - -	5 7	28 2	- - -	6 9	30 9
- - -	The same as preceding week.		- - -	14 9	55 –	- - -	17 5	56 4
- - -			- - -	14 9		- - -	13 11	
- - -			- - -	4 4	40 11	- - -	5 10	41 3
- - -			- - -	4 4	37 3	- - -	5 10	36 11
- - -			- - -	6 6	28 7	- - -	7 –	30 5
- - -	D°		The same as preceding week.			- - -	18 7	55 6
						- - -	15 1	
						- - -	5 10	39 4
						- - -	5 10	36 3
						- - -	7 –	29 4
- - -	14 5	54 1	- - -	15 –	55 11	- - -	19 2	54 4
- - -	14 5		- - -	15 7		- - -	15 8	
- - -	4 5	40 4	- - -	4 5	40 9	- - -	5 10	40 4
- - -	4 5	36 11	- - -	4 5	37 –	- - -	5 10	35 9
- - -	5 7	28 –	- - -	6 7	30 8	- - -	7 –	29 1

REMARKS.

Shipping Charges, &c.

The charge for putting Corn on board is about 2 *s.* per quarter Winchester.

Freights:

Freights for various ports in the Mediterranean at the rate of 12 *s.* per quarter for London.

Stocks:

Stock of soft Wheat about 250,000 qrs. Winchester, of very inferior quality, and much injured by the damp.

No stocks of hard Wheat and other Grain. No demand from abroad.

Exchanges:

In exchanges nothing done on London; the parity with that of Vienna is here calculated.

Speculation checked by the general state of affairs in Europe.

Odessa, 30th June 1826.

James Yeames, Consul.

For July, August and September.

Stock of Wheat become excessive; now supposed to amount to 600,000 qrs Winchester. The cause of this great supply from the country, in the absence of all demand, originates in the great and general distress of the growers, who having long held back, are now obliged to raise money at any cost. Much of their Wheat has been sold, and is still offered at 7 *s.* per quarter, and even lower, which is little more than the expenses of carriage. All the farmers, called here "*Possessors*," are ruined.

N. B. The quotations here made are from the best and driest parcels, which are scarce, and in the hands of the merchants. Store rent risen from 1½ *d.* to 4½ *d.* per quarter per month. No stocks of Rye, Barley and Oats, though abundant in the country. Little hard Wheat, last crops having failed.

For October, November and December.

The prices of soft Wheat here quoted, are those of the very best quality; the prices of inferior ditto may be taken at 5 *s.* 6 *d.* per qr. lower upon an average.

Shipping very scarce, and *freights* to Leghorn, Trieste, Genoa, &c. rose to the *excessive rate of 16 s. per quarter.*

Wheat very much in demand the middle of December; but no ships to be had, and money very scarce.

Stocks:

The stock of Wheat is stated to be about 300,000 qrs. a quantity probably exaggerated; all is of inferior quality, and in the hands of speculators. No shipping of consequence can be expected before March, and no Wheat from the country before the middle of May.

Odessa, 31st December 1826.

James Yeames, Consul.

26.—CADIZ.

ARTICLES.	July.			August			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for sameperiod.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for sameperiod.	Price of Foreign Corn p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for sameperiod.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
1st Week. Rye									
1st Week. Barley									
1st Week. Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
2d Week. Rye									
2d Week. Barley									
2d Week. Oats.									
3d Week. Wheat									
3d Week. Rye									
3d Week. Barley									
3d Week. Oats									
4th Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
4th Week. Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Returns up to this quarter, inclusive, have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

27.—MALAGA.

1st Week. Wheat	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st Week. Barley	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
1st Week. Oats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2d Week. Wheat.									
2d Week. Rye.									
2d Week. Barley.									
2d Week. Oats.									
3d Week. Wheat.									
3d Week. Rye.									
3d Week. Barley.									
3d Week. Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat.									
4th Week. Rye.									
4th Week. Barley.									
4th Week. Oats.									

Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

26.—CADIZ.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
						36*d. p' dol. of Exch.*	*Price not quoted.*	£. *sterling.*	
									Although the crop of Grain in this province was scanty, prices have not risen, in consequence of the abundance of the harvest in Estremadura, from whence considerable importations arrived.
						s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	42 –	41 –	54 4	
						a' 67 –	a' 65 6		
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	24 –	23 5	35 9	
						a' 26 –	a' 25 5		
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

N. B.—Only the last week's prices in December returned.

Cadiz, 31 Dec. 1826.

J. M. Brackenbury,
Consul.

27.—MALAGA.

40*d. p' dol. of Exch.*	35½ *per do.*	£. *sterling.*							
s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*							
72 1	64 2	54 9							None transmitted.
—	—	—							
30 –	26 8	34 4							
—	—	—							

No variation throughout the quarter.

Malaga, 31 Dec. 1826.

Wm Mark,
Consul.

28.—CIVITA VECCHIA.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									

Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

3d Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley									
Oats									

29.—ANCONA.

1st Week. Wheat									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									

Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

3d Week. Wheat									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye.									
Barley.									
Oats.									

28.—CIVITA VECCHIA.

October.			November.			December.			
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r], of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	REMARKS.
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
		£. sterling.			£. sterling.			£. sterling.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
33 2	31 3	54 9	33 2	31 3	54 3	36 9	34 7	56 5	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
11 11	11 3	34 4	13 3	12 6	37 1	14 1	13 4	37 1	None transmitted.
13 8	12 11	26 11	19 11	18 9	28 2	23 1	21 6	30 9	
32 4	30 5	54 6	32 4	30 5	55 –	- -	The same as preceding week.	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
13 3	12 6	35 5	13 8	12 11	37 3	- - -			
20 4	19 2	27 7	21 3	20 –	28 7	- - -			
30 7	28 9	54 3	55 5	33 4	55 9	38 –	35 10	55 6	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
13 8	12 11	36 3	13 8	12 11	37 4	13 8	12 11	36 3	Civita Vecchia,
19 6	18 4	27 8	22 2	20 10	29 4	23 1	21 6	29 4	31st Dec. 1826.
									John Parke,
32 9	30 10	54 1	34 1	32 1	55 11	36 3	34 3	54 4	Consul.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
13 3	12 6	36 11	12 4	11 8	37 –	13 8	12 11	35 9	
18 9	19 11	28 –	18 7	17 6	30 8	19 6	18 4	29 1	

29.—ANCONA.

		£. sterling.			£. sterling.			£. sterling.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
28 9	27 1	54 9	31 –	29 2	54 3	33 7	31 8	56 5	
									None transmitted.
28 11	26 3	54 6	31 5	29 7	55 –	35 5	33 4	56 4	
29 2	27 6	54 3	31 11	30 –	55 9	- -	The same as preceding week.	—	
									Ancona, 31st Dec. 1826.
30 1	28 4	54 1	32 9	30 10	55 11	35 –	32 11	54 4	*John Parke,* Consul.

FOREIGN CORN.

FURTHER ACCOUNTS:

N° 1.

CONSULS RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

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FURTHER ACCOUNTS:

N° 1.

CONSULS RETURNS.

RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

LIST.

30. LISBON.——31. PHILADELPHIA.——32. WASHINGTON.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, 14th March 1827.

Thomas Lack.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
28 *March* 1827.

Further ACCOUNTS of the Prices of FOREIGN CORN;

30.—LISBON.

	ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
		Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week.	Wheat									
	Rye									
	Barley									
	Oats.									
2d Week.	Wheat									
	Rye									
	Barley									
	Oats.									

Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament.

E. J. L.

3d Week.	Wheat									
	Rye									
	Barley									
	Oats.									
4th Week.	Wheat									
	Rye									
	Barley									
	Oats.									

Additional to those ordered to be printed 27 February, N° 118. of the present Session.

30.—LISBON.

October.			November.			December.			REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette Price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar' of 8 Bush' in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	
at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		
62½ d. sterl. p' milrea.	50 d. p' milrea.	£. sterling.	62½ d.	50 d.	£. sterling.	62½ d.	50 d.	£. sterling.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
84 2	62 6	54 9	89 –	65 10	54 3	90 –	66 8	56 5	*Stock on Hand.*
									Qrs.
57 4	42 6	39 2	57 4	42 6	38 9	60 1	44 7	41 3	Wheat (Country) - 18,405
43 2	32 1	34 4	46 1	34 2	37 1	49 4	36 8	37 1	D° (Island) - 6,057
									D° (Foreign hard) 2,070
									D° (d° soft) - 19,200
									45,732
									Qrs.
- -	The same as preceding week.	- -	- -	The same as preceding week.	- -	91 1	68 10	56 4	Barley, Country & Island 483
						60 1	45 5	41 3	D° Foreign - 19,104
						49 4	37 4	36 11	19,587
86 7	64 2	54 3	87 9	65 –	55 9				Owing to the smallness of the Stock on hand, on the 31st December (as above), leave has been granted to admit to entry for home consumption, all the Foreign Wheat (say about 12,000 quarters Winchester) which had been unloaded under deposit.
57 4	42 6	38 3	58 –	43 –	38 10	- -	The same as preceding week.	—	
43 3	32 1	36 3	46 1	34 2	37 4				No late arrivals of Barley, and but little on hand.
			90 –	66 8	55 11				
- -	The same as preceding week.	- -	60 1	44 7	40 9	- -	D°	—	Lisbon, 31st Dec. 1826.
			49 4	36 8	37 –				*R. Matthews*, Consul.

32.—PHILADELPHIA.

ARTICLES.	July.			August.			September.		
	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar^{r} of 8 Bush^{s} in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.
	at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of		at par of	at current rate of Exchange of	
1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
Returns up to this quarter have already been laid before Parliament. *E. J. L.*									
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley									
Oats									

33.—WASHINGTON.

1st Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley.									
Oats.									
2d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley.									
Oats.									
This quarter has not yet been received.									
3d Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley.									
Oats.									
4th Week. Wheat									
Rye									
Barley.									
Oats.									

32.—PHILADELPHIA.

October.				November.				December.				REMARKS.
Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.			Gazette price of English, for same period.	Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.		Price of Foreign Corn, p' Winchester Quar[r] of 8 Bush[s] in Sterling.		Gazette price of English, for same period.		
at par of		at current rate of Exchange of		at par of		at current rate of Exchange of		at par of		at current rate of Exchange of		
			£. sterling.				£. sterling.				£. sterling.	
s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	
32	9	28	10	54	9	37	5	33	2	54	3	37	5	33	2	56	5	None transmitted.
24	6	21	6	39	2	24	6	21	8	38	9	28	1	24	10	41	3	
-	-	-	-	-	-	36	-	31	10	37	1	32	5	28	8	37	1	
16	7	14	7	26	11	16	7	14	8	28	2	16	7	14	8	30	9	
34	2	30	1	54	6	36	9	32	6	55	-	37	5	33	2	56	4	
24	6	21	6	37	4	25	6	22	7	40	11	28	10	25	7	41	3	
29	6	26	-	35	5	36	-	31	10	37	3	32	5	28	8	36	11	
16	7	14	7	27	7	17	3	15	3	28	7	16	7	14	8	30	5	
36	-	31	8	54	3	37	5	33	-	55	9	-	-	-	The same as preceding week.	-	-	
24	6	21	6	38	3	25	6	22	5	38	10	-	-	-				
29	6	26	-	36	3	36	-	31	8	37	4	-	-	-				
16	7	14	7	27	8	17	3	15	2	29	4	-	-	-				Philadelphia, 31 Dec. 1826.
																		Gilbert Robertson,
37	5	33	2	54	1	36	9	32	6	55	11	37	5	33	2	54	4	Consul.
24	6	21	8	40	4	27	-	23	11	40	9	28	10	25	7	40	4	
36	-	31	10	36	11	32	5	28	8	37	-	32	5	28	8	35	9	
16	7	14	8	28	-	17	3	15	3	30	8	15	10	14	-	29	1	

33.—WASHINGTON.

				£. sterling.				£. sterling.				£. sterling.		
s	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	*Extent of Stock.*
27	8	31	-	54	9	32	4	36	2	54	3	32	4	36	2	56	5	About 10,000 barrels of Flour.
21	-	22	4	39	2	20	11	23	5	38	9	21	7	24	2	41	3	
28	9	32	2	54	6	32	4	36	2	55	-	32	4	36	2	56	4	*Internal Charges, &c.* 2 s. 3 d. to 4 s. 6 d. per barrel is paid by the farmers for conveying Flour to market from the interior. Shipping charges about 4 cents (2 d. sterling) per barrel, and from 1 d. to 1 ½ d. per bushel of Grain. *Freights* much the same as stated in former accounts.
21	-	22	4	37	4	20	11	23	5	40	11	22	4	25	-	41	3	
30	7	34	2	54	3	34	2	38	3	55	9	32	4	36	2	55	6	
20	6	22	11	38	3	21	7	24	2	38	10	23	4	26	3	39	4	
34	2	38	3	54	1	-	-	-	The same as preceding week.	-	-	-	-	-	The same as preceding week.	-	-	Washington, 31st Dec. 1826.
20	6	22	11	40	4	-	-	-										*James Baker,* V. Consul.

FOREIGN CORN.

FURTHER ACCOUNTS:

N° 1.

CONSULS RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the severa Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn, as far as the same can be made up.

30.—LISBON.

31.—PHILADELPHIA.

32.—WASHINGTON.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
28 *March* 1827.

FOREIGN CORN.

FURTHER ACCOUNTS;

N° 2.

CONSULS RETURNS:

VIZ.

17.—VENICE.————18.—NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Board of Trade,
26th February 1827.

Thomas Lack.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,* 27 *February* 1827.

17.—VENICE.

Copy of a LETTER from Mr. Consul General Money, at Venice, dated 31st January 1827. (With Two Enclosures.)

SIR, Venice, 31st January 1827.

I AM at length enabled to transmit to you, in compliance with the directions of Mr. Secretary Canning, contained in your letter of the 29th June last, two Tables; one exhibiting the quantities of the several sorts of Corn and Grain, exported from the Venetian Provinces, with Average Prices from the year 1818 to 1825, inclusive; and the other, the Average Prices of the several descriptions of Corn and Grain, therein specified, in the Market of Udine, from the year 1700 to 1825, inclusive.

The first of these Accounts will, I fear, disappoint the expectations of Mr. Secretary Canning; but I beg to assure him, that no pains have been spared to procure an Account for a longer series of years.

No records exist of the quantities of Grain exported, anterior to the period of the Austrians taking possession of these provinces, nor in fact till 1818, when this government became in some measure organized; and I have in vain endeavoured to procure information from private sources.

The other Account will, I hope, prove satisfactory. It contains the Average Prices from the year 1700, of the several sorts of Grain in Udine, the capital of the Friul, which was, and continues to be, the great mart for Grain in the Venetian Provinces; and the Prices therein stated may, I am assured, be considered as those of all the districts within this Consulate.

I have the honour to be, Sir, &c. &c. &c.

(signed) *W. T. Money,* Consul General.

P. S.—Since closing this letter, Mr. Secretary Canning's Dispatch of 15th December has arrived, to which immediate attention shall be given.

John Bidwell, Esq.
Superintendent of the Consular Service, London.

N° 1.—In Mr. Money's Dispatch of 31st January 1827.

AN ACCOUNT OF THE QUANTITIES OF CORN AND GRAIN EXPORTED

From the Year 1818 to the Year 1825, both

YEARS.	WHEAT.				INDIAN CORN.			
	* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Ster^{g} Money, at par.	* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Ster^{g} Money, at par.
				s. d.				s. d.
1818	290,267	15.20	99,520 $\frac{7}{8}$	36 11 $\frac{1}{2}$	609,723	7.10	209,047 $\frac{2}{8}$	17 3 $\frac{1}{4}$
1819	287,215	13.68	98,473	33 3	543,691	7.10	186,408 $\frac{2}{8}$	17 3 $\frac{1}{4}$
1820	197,362	13.68	67,666 $\frac{7}{8}$	33 3	295,840	7.10	101,430 $\frac{6}{8}$	17 3 $\frac{1}{4}$
1821	203,223	12.16	69,676 $\frac{3}{8}$	29 6 $\frac{3}{4}$	88,890	7.10	30,479 $\frac{2}{8}$	17 3 $\frac{3}{4}$
1822	361,233	10.64	123,851 $\frac{2}{8}$	25 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	280,504	7.10	96,172 $\frac{6}{8}$	17 3 $\frac{1}{4}$
1823	109,811	9.26	37,649 $\frac{3}{8}$	22 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	138,358	7.18	47,437	17 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
1824	90,123	9.26	30.899 $\frac{2}{8}$	22 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	130,721	7.18	44,818 $\frac{5}{8}$	17 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
1825	60,288	9.26	20,670 $\frac{1}{8}$	22 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	75,055	7.18	25,733 $\frac{1}{8}$	17 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
TOTALS for 8 years	1,599,522	93.14	548,407 $\frac{1}{8}$	201 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,162,783	57.04	741,525 $\frac{2}{8}$	127 8 $\frac{3}{4}$
AVERAGE per year	199,940	11.64	68,550 $\frac{7}{8}$	28 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	270,347	7.13	92,690 $\frac{3}{8}$	17 4 $\frac{1}{4}$

YEARS	RYE.				RICE.			
	* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Ster^{g} Money, at par.	* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Ster^{g} Money, at par.
				s. d.				s. d.
1818	12,561	7.37	4,306 $\frac{5}{8}$	17 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	26,890	39.00	16,076 $\frac{4}{8}$	82 3 $\frac{1}{2}$
1819	4,069	6.03	1,309 $\frac{2}{8}$	14 8	25,238	32.00	8,653	77 9 $\frac{1}{4}$
1820	1,771	6.03	607 $\frac{2}{8}$	14 8	37,018	32.76	12,691 $\frac{7}{8}$	79 7 $\frac{1}{2}$
1821	4,536	6.03	1,555 $\frac{1}{8}$	14 8	33,855	31.20	11,607 $\frac{3}{8}$	75 10
1822	3,114	6.03	1,067 $\frac{5}{8}$	14 8	42,803	31.20	14,675 $\frac{3}{8}$	75 10
1823	3,080	6.41	1,056	15 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	37,024	28.50	12,693 $\frac{7}{8}$	69 3
1824	1,150	6.41	394 $\frac{2}{8}$	15 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	31,659	28.50	10,854 $\frac{4}{8}$	69 3
1825	17	6.41	5 $\frac{6}{8}$	15 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	26,160	28.50	8,969 $\frac{1}{8}$	69 3
TOTALS for 8 years	30,298	50.72	10,387 $\frac{7}{8}$	123 3 $\frac{1}{4}$	280,647	251.61	96,221 $\frac{3}{8}$	595 –
AVERAGE per year	3,787	6.34	1,290 $\frac{3}{8}$	15 5	35,080	31.45	12,027 ^{3}	74 4 $\frac{1}{4}$

* *These Columns are written with* Red Ink *in the MS.*

FROM THE VENETIAN PROVINCES;

inclusive; with AVERAGE PRICES during the same Period.

OATS.				BARLEY.				YEARS.
* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Sterᵍ Money, at par.	* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Sterᵍ Money, at par.	
			s. d.				s. d.	
14,046	3.54	4,815 6/8	8 7 1/4	610	14.20	209 1/8	34 6 1/4	- - 1818.
16,283	3.51	5,582 5/8	8 6 1/2	1,671	14.20	572 7/8	34 6 1/4	- - 1819.
6,317	3.51	2,165 6/8	8 6 1/2	540	12.10	185 1/8	28 7	- - 1820
3,458	3.51	1,185 4/8	8 6 1/2	906	12.10	310 3/8	28 7	- - 1821.
14,329	3.51	5,055 5/8	8 6 1/2	320	12.10	109 5/8	28 7	- - 1822.
7,668	2.71	2,629	6 7	177	11.74	60 1/8	28 6	- - 1823.
16,364	2.71	5,610 4/8	6 7	1,659	11.74	568 6/8	28 6	- - 1824.
9,430	2.71	3,233 1/8	6 7	29	11.74	9 7/8	28 6	- - 1825.
87,895	25.71	30,129 5/8	62 6	5,912	99.92	2,025 5/8	142 9 1/4	TOTALS for 8 years.
10,987	3.21	3,776 7/8	7 9 1/2	739	12.49	253 1/8	30 4 1/4	AVERAGE per year.

SPELT WHEAT.				PULSE.				YEARS.
* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters,	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Sterᵍ Money, at par.	* Some.	* Prices per Soma, in Francs and $\frac{1}{100}$s.	Winchester Quarters.	Prices per Winchester Quarter, in Sterᵍ Money, at par.	
			s. d.				s. d.	
27	7.10	9 2/8	17 3	36,647	13.32	12,564 5/8	32 4 1/2	- - 1818.
5	7.10	1 5/8	17 3	89,208	11.84	31,157	28 9 1/4	- - 1819.
21	7.10	7 1/8	17 3	40,404	11.84	13,852 6/8	28 9 1/4	- - 1820.
19	7.10	6 4/8	17 3	16,861	8.88	5,780 7/8	21 7	- - 1821.
30	7.10	10 2/8	17 3	23,334	8.88	8,000 1/8	21 7	- - 1822.
- -	- -	- -	- -	17,040	7.83	5,842 3/8	19 - 1/4	- - 1823.
- -	- -	- -	- -	15,328	7.79	5,255 2/8	18 11 1/4	- - 1824.
12	6.18	5 1/8	15 -	16,328	7.79	5,598 1/8	18 11 1/4	- - 1825.
114	41.68	38 7/8	101 3	255,150	78.17	87,480	190 6 1/2	TOTALS for 8 years.
19	6.94	4 7/8	12 7 1/4	31,893	9.77	10,931 7/8	23 9	AVERAGE per year.

W. T. MONEY,
Consul Gen!.

N° 2.—In Mr. Money's Dispatch of 31st January 1827.

A STATEMENT of the AVERAGE PRICES of the several Sorts of CORN and GRAIN in the being considered a fair Estimate of the

YEARS.	WHEAT.				RYE.				PULSE.			
	* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.	
	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.
1700	13	16	22	11	7	8	12	3½	7	16	12	11½
1701	14	2	23	5	8	19	14	10¼	11	–	18	3¼
1702	9	18	16	5¼	6	12	10	11½	7	8	12	3½
1703	10	9	17	4¼	5	15	9	6½	6	2	10	1½
1704	12	3	20	2	8	–	13	3½	10	–	16	7¼
1705	13	6	22	1	10	6	17	1¼	11	11	19	2½
1706	13	–	21	7	9	4	15	3¼	9	14	16	1¼
1707	14	–	23	3	9	14	16	1¼	13	1	21	8
1708	16	12	27	6¾	10	16	17	11¼	11	5	18	8¼
1709	21	7	35	5¼	13	17	23	–	12	13	21	–
1710	13	13	22	8	9	2	15	1¼	10	2	16	9¼
1711	11	18	19	9¼	7	16	12	11½	9	3	15	9¼
1712	12	17	21	4	8	2	13	5½	10	–	16	7¼
1713	14	19	24	10	11	18	19	9¼	12	4	20	3
1714	15	2	25	2¾	12	4	20	3	13	14	22	9
1715	15	15	26	1¾	12	2	20	1	11	18	19	9¼
1716	16	16	27	10¾	13	1	21	8	13	2	21	9
1717	16	3	26	9¾	12	10	20	9	14	1	23	4
1718	13	12	22	7	9	10	15	9¼	15	9	25	7¾
1719	13	6	22	1	9	9	15	8¼	14	5	23	8
1720	11	13	19	4¼	6	17	11	4½	9	4	15	4½
1721	9	9	15	8¼	5	11	9	2¾	6	16	11	3½
1722	10	13	17	8¼	6	12	10	11½	8	8	13	11½
1723	10	6	17	1¼	7	1	11	8½	7	19	13	2½
1724	13	1	21	8	9	6	15	5¼	12	6	20	5
1725	12	7	20	6	9	8	15	7¼	10	18	18	1¼
1726	10	1	16	8¼	6	17	11	4½	8	12	14	3½
1727	9	2	15	1¼	5	2	8	5½	6	11	10	10½
1728	13	–	21	7	6	15	11	2½	9	3	15	3¼
1729	13	17	23	–	10	1	16	8¼	11	1	18	4¼
1730	11	2	18	5¼	8	11	14	2½	8	15	14	6½
1731	9	17	16	4¼	7	4	11	11½	8	2	13	5½
1732	12	10	20	9	8	4	13	7½	8	14	14	5½
1733	11	17	19	8¼	10	18	18	1¼	11	7	18	10¼
1734	11	19	19	10¼	7	10	12	5½	9	–	15	–¼
1735	18	2	30	–½	11	1	18	4¼	11	–	18	3¼
1736	17	4	28	6½	10	13	17	8¼	10	1	16	8¼
1737	12	7	20	7	7	8	12	3½	11	6	18	9¼
1738	13	5	22	–	9	6	15	5¼	10	5	17	–¼
1739	16	17	27	11¾	14	–	23	3	16	13	27	7¾

* *These Columns are written with* Red Ink *in the MS.*

Market of UDINE, the principal Town of the FRIUL, from the Year 1700 to the Year 1825, inclusive. Average Prices throughout the VENETIAN PROVINCES.

OATS.				MILLET.				INDIAN CORN.				TURKEY MILLET.			
* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.	
Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.
5	13	9	4 ¾	5	17	9	8 ½	5	18	9	9 ½	3	10	5	9 ¾
7	19	13	2 ½	6	18	11	5 ½	7	6	12	1 ½	4	16	7	11 ¾
6	1	10	– ½	4	16	7	11 ¾	4	13	7	8 ¾	3	–	4	11 ¾
5	14	9	5 ½	4	10	7	5 ¾	4	8	7	3 ¾	2	15	4	6 ¾
5	14	9	5 ¾	8	4	13	7 ½	8	10	14	1 ¼	5	12	9	3 ½
5	11	9	2 ¾	8	–	13	3 ½	9	–	14	11 ¼	5	16	9	7 ½
8	5	13	8 ½	7	4	11	11 ½	7	5	12	1 ½	4	8	7	3 ¾
7	16	12	10 ½	7	10	12	5 ½	8	2	13	5 ¼	4	9	7	4 ¾
7	16	12	10 ½	8	3	13	6 ½	9	1	15	– ¼	5	11	9	2 ½
7	13	12	8 ½	7	16	12	11 ½	9	18	16	5 ¼	5	18	9	9 ½
6	8	10	7 ½	6	14	11	1 ½	6	9	10	8 ½	3	12	5	11 ¾
6	2	10	1 ½	6	4	10	3 ½	5	14	9	5 ½	3	7	5	6 ¾
7	–	11	7 ½	6	14	11	1 ½	7	6	12	1 ½	4	17	8	– ¾
6	14	11	3 ½	8	5	13	8 ½	10	7	12	2 ½	6	5	10	4 ½
6	18	11	5 ½	11	15	19	6 ¼	10	9	12	4 ½	5	19	9	10 ½
7	4	11	11 ½	15	5	25	3 ¼	11	–	18	3 ¼	4	19	8	2 ¾
7	10	12	5 ½	11	4	18	7 ¼	10	18	18	1 ¼	5	16	9	7 ½
7	11	12	6 ½	10	7	17	2 ¼	9	14	16	1 ¼	6	9	10	8 ½
8	4	13	7 ½	8	12	14	3 ½	8	15	14	6 ½	5	7	8	10 ½
7	14	12	9 ½	7	9	12	4 ½	8	6	13	9 ½	5	7	8	10 ½
6	15	11	2 ½	4	9	7	3 ¾	4	9	7	3 ¾	2	14	4	5 ¾
5	16	9	7 ½	5	3	8	6 ½	4	11	7	5 ¼	2	18	4	9 ¾
5	8	8	11 ½	5	16	9	7 ½	5	14	9	5 ½	3	12	5	11 ¾
5	5	8	8 ½	5	6	8	9 ½	5	11	9	2 ½	3	6	5	5 ¾
5	16	9	7 ½	8	11	14	2 ½	7	19	13	2 ½	5	3	8	6 ½
5	9	9	0 – ½	7	6	12	1 ½	7	13	12	8 ½	4	4	6	10 ¾
4	13	7	7 ¼	4	12	7	6 ¼	4	15	7	9 ¾	3	–	4	11 ¾
4	17	7	11 ¾	4	16	7	10 ¼	4	7	7	1 ¾	2	17	4	9
6	8	10	7 ½	6	13	11	– ½	6	9	10	8 ½	4	12	7	6 ¾
6	15	11	2 ½	7	3	11	10 ½	7	19	13	2 ½	5	13	9	4 ½
6	4	10	3 ½	7	–	11	7 ½	7	4	11	11 ½	3	11	5	10 ¾
5	17	9	8 ½	6	2	10	1 ½	6	6	10	5 ½	3	9	5	8 ¾
5	13	9	4 ½	7	3	11	10 ½	7	13	12	9 ½	4	13	7	7 ¾
6	13	11	– ½	9	3	15	3 ¼	9	5	15	5 ¼	5	13	9	4 ½
7	16	12	11 ½	6	15	11	2 ½	6	1	10	– ½	3	12	5	11 ¾
8	10	14	11 ½	8	14	14	5 ¼	9	1	15	1 ¼	5	1	8	4 ½
7	1	11	8 ¼	6	17	11	4 ½	7	8	12	3 ½	4	7	7	1 ¾
5	18	9	9 ¼	6	8	10	7 ½	6	9	12	4 ½	4	4	6	10 ¾
5	13	9	4 ½	7	14	12	9 ½	9	5	15	5 ¼	5	17	9	8 ½
7	2	11	9 ½	9	16	16	3 ¼	11	7	18	10 ¼	6	10	12	5 ½

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YEARS.	WHEAT.				RYE.				PULSE.			
	* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.		* Per Stajo of Udine, in		Per Winchester Quarter, in Sterling Money, at par.	
	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.
1740	18	2	30	– ½	14	4	23	7	16	5	26	11 ½
1741	14	3	23	6	11	3	18	6 ¼	10	5	17	– ¼
1742	13	15	22	10	9	13	16	– ¼	11	12	19	3 ¼
1743	17	8	28	10 ½	12	11	20	11	12	13	21	1
1744	14	10	24	1	8	11	14	2 ½	9	1	15	– ¼
1745	12	6	20	5	7	5	12	– ½	8	12	14	3 ¼
1746	15	7	25	5	9	9	15	8 ¼	15	18	26	4 ¼
1747	19	8	32	2 ½	11	7	18	10 ¼	14	19	24	10
1748	16	8	27	2 ¼	8	15	14	6 ¼	11	15	19	6 ¼
1749	18	6	30	4 ½	11	1	18	6 ¼	14	9	24	–
1750	16	15	27	9 ¾	12	11	20	10	13	1	21	8
1751	20	18	33	8 ½	17	13	29	3 ½	21	7	35	5 ¼
1752	16	4	26	10 ¾	11	13	19	4 ¼	14	18	24	9
1753	13	6	21	1	7	2	11	9 ½	11	19	19	10 ¼
1754	13	–	21	7	6	18	11	5 ½	9	11	15	10 ¼
1755	16	16	27	4 ¾	9	9	15	8 ¼	13	6	22	1
1756	14	19	24	10	9	10	15	9 ¼	13	4	21	11
1757	15	19	26	5 ¾	12	5	20	4	19	10	32	4 ½
1758	7	19	29	9 ½	15	–	24	11	16	13	27	7 ¾
1759	18	19	33	5 ½	14	11	24	2	15	5	25	3 ¾
1760	16	11	27	5 ¾	12	8	20	7	14	6	23	9
1761	13	5	20	–	8	2	13	5 ½	9	5	15	4 ½
1762	12	7	20	6	8	16	14	7 ¼	9	9	15	8 ¼
1763	18	15	31	1 ¼	15	2	25	– ¾	17	14	29	4 ½
1764	18	5	30	3 ½	13	18	23	1	15	10	25	8 ¾
1765	20	–	33	2 ½	13	1	21	8	13	2	21	9
1766	25	4	41	10	15	15	26	1 ¾	15	12	25	10 ¾
1767	22	4	36	10 ¼	17	–	28	2 ¾	15	11	25	9 ¾
1768	17	6	28	8 ½	12	5	20	4	16	5	26	11 ¾
1769	15	11	25	9 ¾	10	2	16	9 ¼	14	5	23	8
1770	17	7	28	9 ½	11	14	19	5 ¼	17	1	28	3 ¾
1771	19	10	32	4 ½	14	18	24	8 ¾	17	14	29	4 ½
1772	25	10	42	4	17	18	29	8 ½	21	18	36	4 ¼
1773	28	2	46	7 ¾	19	10	32	4 ½	24	6	40	2
1774	28	3	46	8 ¾	19	2	31	8 ½	26	7	43	9
1775	17	14	29	4 ½	12	14	21	1	18	12	30	10 ½
1776	16	11	27	5 ¾	10	–	16	7 ¼	14	9	24	–
1777	19	15	32	9 ½	12	18	21	5	17	9	28	11 ½
1778	19	18	33	– ½	13	6	22	1	16	8	27	2 ¼
1779	20	17	34	7 ½	14	7	23	10	16	16	27	10 ¼
1780	17	16	29	6 ½	11	1	18	4 ¼	19	5	33	11 ½
1781	19	2	31	8 ½	12	1	20	–	19	10	32	4 ½
1782	27	2	45	–	21	12	35	10 ¼	29	18	49	7 ½
1783	19	7	32	1 ½	14	16	24	7	15	17	26	3 ¼

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Ven. Lire.	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Ven. Lire.*	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Ven. Lire.*	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Ven. Lire.*	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*
7	10	12	5½	12	11	20	11	12	2	20	1	6	5	12	–½
7	1	11	8¼	7	11	12	6½	7	11	12	6½	4	3	6	9¾
8	8	13	11½	9	5	15	5¼	9	12	16	–¼	5	12	9	3½
8	16	14	7½	10	–	16	7¼	9	11	11	11¼	6	1	11	8½
7	11	12	6½	8	–	13	3½	6	8	15	8¼	3	18	6	5¾
7	12	12	7½	7	5	12	–½	6	13	16	1¼	3	16	6	3¾
8	16	14	7½	8	5	13	8¼	9	–	15	–¾	5	5	8	8½
9	3	15	2¼	8	14	14	5¼	8	14	14	5¼	5	8	8	11½
7	2	11	9¾	6	16	11	3½	6	4	10	3½	3	15	6	2¾
6	19	11	6½	7	15	12	10½	8	17	14	8¼	5	8	8	11½
7	1	11	8½	9	15	16	2¼	11	12	19	3¼	7	5	12	–½
8	8	13	11½	13	1	21	8	15	14	26	–¾	9	15	16	2¾
7	10	12	5½	7	9	12	4½	7	1	11	8½	3	11	5	10¾
8	14	14	5¼	6	13	11	–½	5	10	9	1½	3	2	5	1¾
7	12	12	7½	8	2	13	5¼	6	17	11	4½	4	7	7	1¼
9	7	15	6¼	8	14	14	5¼	8	11	14	2¼	5	6	8	9½
7	7	12	2½	8	10	14	1¼	8	5	13	8½	6	12	10	11½
7	4	11	11¾	12	11	20	10	11	19	20	6	7	5	12	–½
8	1	13	4½	13	9	22	4	12	5	20	4	8	2	13	5½
9	1	15	–¼	10	16	17	11¼	9	19	16	6¼	5	19	9	10½
8	13	14	4¼	9	1	15	–¼	7	10	12	5½	4	7	7	1¾
8	6	13	9¼	8	8	13	11¼	7	6	12	1½	4	14	7	8¾
8	1	13	4¼	8	7	13	10½	7	16	12	11½	5	5	8	8½
9	8	15	7¼	16	9	27	3¾	16	9	27	3¾	10	2	16	9¼
9	14	16	1¼	11	1	18	6¼	11	–	18	5¼	5	7	8	10½
10	16	17	11½	12	4	20	3	10	3	16	10¼	5	12	9	3½
13	13	22	8	15	14	26	–¾	14	–	23	3	8	9	14	–½
13	2	21	9	13	16	22	11	13	10	22	5	7	5	12	–½
10	16	17	11¾	11	16	19	7¼	10	5	17	–¼	6	14	11	1½
8	11	14	2¼	9	9	15	8¼	9	2	15	1¼	5	16	9	7½
10	5	17	–¼	11	8	18	11¼	11	3	18	8¼	7	5	12	–½
10	11	17	6¼	12	12	20	11	12	5	20	4	7	5	12	–½
14	11	24	2	18	10	30	8½	18	5	31	11½	10	16	17	11¼
14	9	24	–	18	11	30	9½	14	16	24	7	8	8	18	11½
12	16	21	3	19	15	32	9½	18	1	31	7¼	10	9	17	4¼
10	–	16	7¼	10	8	17	3¼	9	14	15	11¼	5	6	8	9½
10	4	16	11¼	10	18	18	1¼	9	14	15	11¼	5	18	9	9½
12	17	21	4	13	19	23	2	13	1	21	8	8	3	13	6½
11	13	19	4¼	13	18	23	1	11	6	18	9¼	–	–	–	–
13	12	22	7	11	1	18	4¼	9	14	16	1¼	5	18	9	9½
12	–	19	11	12	5	20	4	10	4	16	11¼	5	19	9	10½
11	5	18	8¼	13	11	22	6	12	4	20	3	7	12	12	7½
14	18	24	9	19	7	32	1½	22	1	36	7¼	12	17	21	4
9	13	16	–¼	10	16	17	11¼	10	6	17	1¼	5	9	9	–½

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	* Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven. Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.	Ven Lire.	Soldi.	s.	d.
1784	25	14	42	8	15	4	25	2¾	30	3	50	–½
1785	19	6	32	–½	13	19	23	2	19	6	32	–½
1786	19	8	32	2½	13	11	22	6	19	3	31	9½
1787	24	2	39	10	18	16	31	2¼	20	15	34	5½
1788	27	15	46	1	22	8	37	2¼	25	17	42	11
1789	27	–	44	10	15	3	25	1¾	18	16	31	2½
1790	21	–	34	10½	10	17	18	–¼	23	–	38	2¼
1791	21	3	35	1½	10	14	17	9¼	17	4	28	6½
1792	24	10	40	6	14	19	24	10	11	13	19	4¼
1793	26	7	43	9	18	16	31	2½	27	5	45	3
1794	29	14	49	3½	19	4	31	10½	27	17	46	3
1795	31	11	52	4½	19	3	31	9½	28	18	47	11¾
1796	27	8	45	6	19	3	31	9½	26	18	44	8
1797	27	1	44	11	20	17	34	7½	29	5	48	6½
1798	23	18	39	6	18	–	29	10½	28	4	46	9¾
1799	33	10	55	7¼	22	13	37	7¼	31	12	52	5½
1800	49	13	82	5	37	14	62	7	42	19	71	3¼
1801	51	–	84	7¾	40	13	67	5¾	44	5	73	–½
1802	45	10	74	6¼	34	3	56	8¼	47	10	77	2¼
1803	35	6	57	7¼	26	16	44	6	34	2	56	7¼
1804	31	18	52	11½	18	17	31	3½	27	15	46	1
1805	42	17	71	1¼	27	14	46	–	36	3	60	–
1806	27	17	46	3	19	17	32	11½	27	14	46	–
1807	25	4	41	10	17	11	29	1½	34	6	56	11¼
1808	21	8	35	6½	15	3	25	1¾	29	6	48	7½
1809	22	9	37	3¼	15	15	26	1¾	34	15	47	8¼
1810	32	19	54	8¼	24	6	40	2	31	7	52	–½
1811	33	2	54	11¼	20	16	34	6½	31	10	52	3½
1812	28	2	46	7¾	19	14	32	8½	28	12	47	5¾
1813	27	16	46	2	19	1	31	7½	37	10	62	3
1814	43	1	71	5¼	32	14	54	3½	40	6	66	10¾
1815	50	12	84	–	36	16	61	1	39	7	65	3¾
1816	60	1	99	6¾	45	6	74	2¼	39	7	65	3¾
1817	32	2	53	3½	22	4	36	10¼	26	19	44	9
1818	21	5	35	3½	13	3	21	10	17	19	29	9½
1819	19	1	31	7½	11	17	19	8	18	1	29	11½
1820	27	8	45	6	18	16	31	2½	26	11	44	1
1821	20	7	33	9½	15	13	25	11¾	22	2	36	8¼
1822	17	5	28	7½	12	–	19	11	28	1	46	6¾
1823	15	2	25	–¾	10	–	16	7¼	17	9	28	11½
1824	13	8	22	3	9	9	15	8¼	17	3	28	5½
1825	13	10	22	5	9	11	15	10¼	14	12	24	3

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Ven. Lire.	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Ven. Lire.*	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Ven. Lire.*	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*	*Ven. Lire.*	*Soldi.*	*s.*	*d.*
15	17	26	3 ¾	15	9	25	7 ¾	14	13	24	4	8	3	13	6 ½
11	11	19	2 ¼	11	–	18	3 ½	11	13	19	4 ¼	6	5	15	5 ¼
13	8	22	3	14	7	23	10	13	19	23	2	7	17	13	– ¼
13	17	23	–	17	4	28	6 ½	18	8	30	6 ½	11	8	18	11 ¼
15	12	25	10 ¾	16	2	26	8 ¾	19	4	31	10 ½	10	19	18	2 ¼
15	6	25	4 ¾	12	11	20	10	10	19	18	2 ¼	5	6	8	9 ½
12	12	20	11	13	16	22	10	9	7	15	6 ¼	5	10	9	1 ½
9	13	16	– ¼	14	8	23	11	12	2	20	1	7	3	11	11 ½
12	15	21	2	14	12	24	3	15	15	26	1 ¾	7	16	12	11 ½
19	17	32	11 ½	18	–	29	10 ½	18	3	30	1 ½	9	4	15	3 ¼
17	15	29	5 ½	17	19	29	9 ½	14	6	23	9	7	8	12	4 ½
16	4	26	10 ¾	19	15	32	9 ½	16	3	26	9 ¾	9	7	15	6 ½
14	11	24	2	21	1	34	11 ½	20	1	33	3 ½	10	9	17	4 ¼
17	10	29	– ½	21	3	35	2 ½	23	2	38	4 ¼	13	2	21	9
16	15	27	9 ¾	18	16	31	2 ½	17	11	29	1 ½	9	8	15	7 ½
20	15	34	5 ½	21	18	36	4 ½	25	16	42	10	13	11	22	6
21	2	35	– ½	31	7	52	– ½	41	16	69	4 ¾	24	4	40	–
25	2	41	8	36	6	60	3	31	13	52	6 ½	15	7	25	5 ¾
30	8	50	5 ½	47	–	76	4 ½	39	9	65	5 ¾	20	12	34	2 ½
21	5	34	3 ½	22	11	37	5 ¼	18	5	30	3 ½	10	–	16	7 ¼
22	11	37	5 ¼	26	11	44	1	16	–	26	6 ¾	9	16	16	3 ¼
24	13	40	9	30	12	50	9 ½	32	5	53	6 ½	19	6	32	– ½
21	–	33	10 ½	22	5	36	11 ½	18	–	29	10 ½	11	6	18	9 ¼
19	17	32	11 ½	19	2	31	8 ½	16	11	27	5 ¾	—		—	
16	4	26	10 ¾	18	19	31	5 ½	14	14	23	7	—		—	
15	–	24	10 ¾	25	7	42	1	20	1	33	3 ⅓	—		—	
14	14	24	4 ¾	30	16	51	1 ½	21	8	35	6 ½	—		—	
15	19	26	5 ¾	20	2	33	4 ½	17	14	29	4 ½	—		—	
18	1	29	11 ½	19	18	33	– ½	17	1	28	3 ½	—		—	
19	2	31	8 ½	36	17	61	2	21	19	36	5 ½			—	
16	10	27	4 ¾	42	13	70	9 ½	37	14	62	7	25	3	41	9
16	18	28	– ¾	46	17	76	7 ¼	38	11	64	–	25	14	42	8
22	4	36	10 ½	45	16	75	– ¼	43	17	72	9 ¼	25	1	41	7
15	10	25	8 ¾	21	11	35	9 ½	14	19	24	10	8	12	14	3 ½
13	15	22	10	17	15	29	5 ¼	9	1	15	– ¼	5	3	8	6 ½
11	14	19	5 ¼	15	8	25	6 ¾	8	8	13	11 ½	5	7	8	10 ½
18	15	31	1 ½	20	7	33	9 ½	19	4	31	10 ½	11	9	19	– ¼
14	13	24	3 ¾	18	2	30	– ½	13	6	22	1	8	15	14	6 ½
14	18	24	8 ¾	13	16	22	10	9	9	15	8 ¼	5	10	9	1 ½
12	4	20	3	13	7	22	2	9	16	16	3 ¼	6	–	9	11 ½
10	–	16	7 ¼	13	5	22	–	10	14	17	9 ¼	6	1	10	– ½
8	15	14	6 ¼	12	11	20	10	10	10	17	5 ¼	5	12	9	3 ¼

(signed) *W. T. Money,*
Consul General.

18.—NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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Portsmouth, 26 October 1826.

SIR,

In pursuance of your Circular Instructions of the 29th June last, I have the honour to transmit to you, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, a Report of an Account of the Average Prices of the several sorts of Grain, and the quantities annually exported from the Consulate of New Hampshire and Maine, for a series of years; together with an Account of the Average Price of Wheat, so far as the same has been ascertained, to the present year.

I have the honour to be,
Sir, &c. &c. &c.
(signed) *Donald Mackintosh*,
His Majesty's Consul for
The States of New Hampshire and Maine.

John Bidwell, Esq.
Superintendent of the Consular Service,
Foreign Office, London.

In Consul Mackintosh's Dispatch, of 26th October 1826.

REPORT of an ACCOUNT of the AVERAGE PRICES of the several Sorts of GRAIN, and the quantities annually exported, from the Consulate of NEW HAMPSHIRE and MAINE, for a series of years; together with, An Account of the AVERAGE PRICE of WHEAT, so far as the same has been ascertained, to the present Year of our Lord 1826.

ARTICLES.	AVERAGE PRICE of WHEAT, &c.		QUANTITY EXPORTED.	REMARKS.
	Currency.	Sterling.		
Year 1737.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
Corn - p' bushel	– 10 –	– 1 –	none	Paid in paper of a nominal value, or old tenor so called.
Flour - 112 lbs.	3 5 –	– 6 6	–	
1738 to 1740.				
Corn - p' bushel	– 12 –	– 1 2½	–	- - scarce.
1741.				
Corn - p' bushel	– 15 –	– 1 6	–	- - scarce.
1742 to 1745.				
Corn - p' bushel	– 14 –	– 1 1½	–	- - scarce.
1746 & 1747.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 5 –	– 2 6	–	- - very scarce.
1748 to 1756.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 10 –	– 3 –	–	- - very scarce.
Flour - 112 lbs.	10 – –	1 – –	–	- - - ditto.
1757.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 2 6	– 2 3	–	- - scarce.
1758 to 1763.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 10 –	– 3 –	–	- - ditto.
1764 to 1765.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 7 –	– 2 9	–	- - plenty.
Flour - 112 lbs.	4 – –	– 8 –		
1766 to 1772.				
Corn - p' bushel	2 – –	– 4 –	–	very scarce—famine.
1773 to 1774.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 10 –	– 3 –	–	- - scarce.
1775.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 7 –	– 2 9	–	- - plenty.
1776 to 1778.				
Corn - p' bushel	1 10 –	– 3 –	–	- - scarce.
1779.				
Corn - p' bushel	7 15 –	– 13 6	–	extremely scarce—
Meal - –	9 – –	– 16 4	–	- - famine.
Flour - 112 lbs.	15 – –	1 10 –	–	
1780 to 1793 - -	- - -	- - -	–	- - no record.

(*continued.*)

Report of an Account of Average Prices of Grain, &c.—*continued.*

ARTICLES.	AVERAGE PRICE of WHEAT, &c.						QUANTITY EXPORTED.	REMARKS.
	Currency.			Sterling.				
Year 1794.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.		
Wheat - p' bushel	–	6	–	–	4	6	none	Paid in silver specie.
Rye - –	–	3	9	–	2	9¾	–	—
Barley - –	–	3	6	–	2	7½	–	—
Oats - –	–	2	6	–	1	10½	–	—
Corn - –	–	3	–	–	2	3	–	—
Wheat Flour, 112lbs.	–	14	6	–	10	10½	–	—
Corn Meal - p' bushel	–	4	6	–	3	4½	–	—
1795 to 1798 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	–	little or no variation.
1799 to 1800.								
Wheat - p' bushel	–	5	–	–	3	9	–	
Rye - –	–	3	9	–	2	9¾	–	
Barley - –	–	2	6	–	1	10½	–	
Oats - –	–	2	6	–	1	10½	–	
Corn - –	–	2	6	–	1	10½	–	
Wheat Flour, 112lbs.	–	10	–	–	7	6	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel Rye Meal –	-	-	-	-	-	-	–	- - none at market.
1801 to 1803 - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	–	1801 & 2, same as above.
Wheat - p' bushel	–	7	6	–	5	7½	–	
Rye - –	–	5	–	–	3	9	–	
Barley - –	–	3	9	–	2	9¾	–	
Oats - –	–	2	6	–	1	10½	–	
Corn - –	–	6	–	–	4	6	–	
Wheat Flour, 112lbs.	–	15	–	–	11	3	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel	–	6	–	–	4	6	–	
Rye Meal –	–	5	6	–	4	1½	–	
1804 & 1805.								
Wheat - p' bushel	–	4	6	–	3	4½	–	Prices about the same in both years.
Rye - –	–	3	9	–	2	9¾	–	
Barley - –	–	3	9	–	2	9¾	–	
Oats - –	–	2	–	–	1	6	–	
Corn - –	–	3	–	–	2	3	–	
Wheat Flour, 112lbs.	–	9	–	–	6	9	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel	–	4	–	–	3	–	–	
Rye Meal –	–	4	–	–	3	–	–	
1806.								
Wheat - p' bushel	–	5	9	–	4	3¾	–	
Rye - –	–	3	9	–	2	9¾	–	
Barley - –	–	3	–	–	2	3	–	
Oats - –	–	2	6	–	1	10½	–	
Corn - –	–	5	–	–	3	9	–	
Wheat Flour, 112lbs.	–	10	–	–	7	6	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel	–	5	6	–	4	1½	–	
Rye Meal –	–	4	–	–	3	–	–	

Report of an Account of Average Prices of Grain, &c.—*continued.*

ARTICLES.	AVERAGE PRICE of WHEAT, &c. Currency. £. s. d.	AVERAGE PRICE of WHEAT, &c. Sterling. £. s. d.	QUANTITY EXPORTED.	REMARKS.
Years 1807 & 1808.				
Wheat - p' bushel	– 4 6	– 3 4½	none	Embargo years, and much imported from other states.
Rye - –	– 3 –	– 2 3	–	
Barley - –	– 2 6	– 1 10½	–	
Oats - –	– 2 –	– 1 6	–	
Corn - –	– 3 –	– 2 3	–	
Wheat Flour, 112 lbs.	– 8 –	– 6 –	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel	– 3 9	– 2 9¾	–	
Rye Meal –	– 3 6	– 4 10½	–	
1809 to 1811.				
Wheat - p' bushel	– 6 –	– 4 6	–	
Rye - –	– 4 6	– 3 4½	–	
Barley - –	– 3 –	– 2 3	–	little or no variation.
Oats - –	– 2 –	– 1 6	–	
Corn - –	– 4 6	– 3 4½	–	
Wheat Flour, 112 lbs.	– 10 6	– 7 10½	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel	– 5 –	– 3 9	–	
Rye Meal –	– 5 –	– 3 9	–	
1812 to 1814.				
Wheat - p' bushel	– 12 –	– 9 –	–	During the late war but little variation.
Rye - –	– 9 –	– 6 9	–	
Barley - –	– 8 –	– 6 –	–	
Oats - –	– 4 –	– 3 –	–	
Corn - –	– 9 –	– 6 9	–	
Wheat Flour, 112 lbs.	2 5 –	1 18 9	–	
Corn Meal, p' bushel	– 10 –	– 7 6	–	
Rye Meal –	– 10 6	– 7 10½	–	
1815 to 1821.				
Wheat - p' bushel	– 7 6	– 5 7½	–	But little variation during these years.
Rye - –	– 5 –	– 3 9	–	
Barley - –	– 4 –	– 3 –	–	
Oats - –	– 2 3	– 1 8½	–	
Corn - –	– 4 6	– 3 4½	–	
1822.				
Wheat - p' bushel	- - -	– 4 10½	–	
Rye - –	- - -	– 3 6¼	–	
Barley - –	- - -	– 2 8½	–	
Oats - –	- - -	– 1 8¼	–	
Corn - –	- - -	– 3 4½	–	
1823.				
Wheat - p' bushel	- - -	– 6 – ¾	–	
Rye - –	- - -	– 3 11	–	
Barley - –	- - -	– 3 2½	–	
Oats - –	- - -	– 1 8½	–	
Corn - –	- - -	– 3 2½	–	

(*continued.*)

Report of an Account of Average Prices of Grain, &c.—*continued.*

ARTICLES.	AVERAGE PRICE of WHEAT, &c.						QUANTITY EXPORTED.	REMARKS.
	Currency.			Sterling.				
Year 1824.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.		
Wheat - p' bushel	-	-	-	-	6	1 ½	none	
Rye - -	-	-	-	-	3	6 ¾	-	
Barley - -	-	-	-	-	2	9	-	
Oats - -	-	-	-	-	1	5 ¼	-	
Corn - -	-	-	-	-	2	7	-	
1825.								
Wheat - p' bushel	-	-	-	-	5	11 ¼	-	
Rye - -	-	-	-	-	2	6	-	
Barley - -	-	-	-	-	2	6 ¾	-	
Oats - -	-	-	-	-	1	6 ¼	-	
Corn - -	-	-	-	-	2	9 ½	-	
1826.								
Wheat - p' bushel	-	-	-	-	5	- ¾	-	
Rye - -	-	-	-	-	3	7 ¾	-	
Barley - -	-	-	-	-	3	3 ¼	-	
Oats - -	-	-	-	-	1	10 ¼	-	
Corn - -	-	-	-	-	3	10 ½	-	

Note.—There are no records kept of the prices of the several Sorts of Grain, or of the exportation thereof, in the Customs, or any other public office within this district. The above information is derived from a journal kept by the Rev. Thomas Smith, late pastor of one of the churches in this district, viz. from the year 1737 to 1779. The residue to the year 1820, are averaged from Prices Current published in the public prints, and the remainder to the present year 1826, from the records in my office.

His Brit. Majesty's Consulate for the States of New Hampshire & Maine.

(signed) *Don^d Mackintosh,*

His Majesty's Consul for the States of

26 October 1826. New Hampshire & Maine.

FOREIGN CORN.

FURTHER ACCOUNTS;

N° 2.

CONSULS RETURNS

Of all Accounts that have been received during the Year 1826, in compliance with the several Circulars issued from the Foreign Office, relative to Foreign Corn; as far as the same can be made up:—*VIZ.*

17.—VENICE.——18.—NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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27 *February* 1827.

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CONSULS RETURNS:

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19. ST. MICHAEL'S (AZORES).——20. LISBON.

Board of Trade,
Whitehall, 14th March 1827.

Thomas Lack.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,* 28 *March* 1827.

19.—ST. MICHAEL'S (AZORES.)

Consul General's Office for the Azores,
St. Michael's, 21st January 1827.

SIR,

ENCLOSED I transmit to you for the information of His Majesty's Government, a Return of the Prices of Wheat in this island, from the year 1700 to 1826 inclusive, with general remarks and observations on the past and present state of Agriculture, which may prove interesting; although I cannot obtain any official account of the export of Grain, I have reason to believe, that the quantities stated in my report approximate very near the actual quantities now shipped every year. The reason why the culture of Wheat has been changed to that of Indian Corn, Broad Beans, and Calavances, is to be accounted for by the last-mentioned articles producing more luxuriantly than Wheat, and causing less exhaustion of the soil, and being articles of food more in request for the lower classes of the inhabitants in Portugal.

If all the land susceptible of cultivation in the Azores were put into tillage, the produce would be sufficient for ten times the number of the present inhabitants; the abolition of the Entails of the Morgados, will (if decreed by the Cortes) effect a general improvement, long and ardently desired by the mass of the people. This measure was proposed in the former Cortes and nearly carried.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *W. Harding Read,* Consul General.

To John Biddell, Esquire,
&c. &c. &c.
Foreign Office.

Consul General's Office for the Azore Islands.

AN ACCOUNT, showing the PRICES OF WHEAT IN THE ISLAND OF ST. MICHAEL, from the Year 1700 to the Year 1826.

YEAR.	Price in Currency of 20 Alquieres, equal to 8 English Bushels, or One Quarter.		Price in Sterling Money, at par of Exchange of 3ff 600.			GENERAL OBSERVATIONS and REMARKS.
			£.	s.	d.	
1700 to 1763	4ff	000	1	2	2½	THE prices of Wheat herein stated, are taken chiefly from the Archives of the Senate of the city of Ponta Delgada, by which it appears, that from the year 1700 to 1763 inclusive, the price of Wheat was stationary, at 200 reis per alquiere, Portuguese measure, two alquieres and one half being equal to an English Winchester bushel; at that time, a great monopoly of Corn existed in St. Michael's, the farmers paying their landlords chiefly in Wheat for the rent of their lands; and if money was paid, the fixed price of Wheat regulated the rate of rent; but after the expulsion of the Society of Jesuits, a great change took place in the value and rental of land; the convents and lands of the extinct Society were sold by the Crown, a new impulse was given to agriculture, and the cultivation of Milho, *i. e.* Indian Corn or Maize, being introduced into the Azores, less Wheat was cultivated than before. Wheat consequently rose in price, but experienced fluctuations from the abundance or failure of the crops; and during the late Peninsular War, particularly when the ports of the United States were blockaded, Grain rose near one hundred per cent, from the demand for the Army Commissariat in Portugal.
1764 to 1775	4ff	800	1	6	8	
1776 to 1781	6ff	000	1	13	4	
1782	4ff	800	1	6	8	
1783	4ff	800	1	6	8	
1784	6ff	000	1	13	4	
1785	8ff	000	2	3	5⅓	
1786	7ff	600	2	2	2⅔	
1787	6ff	200	1	14	5⅓	
1788	6ff	000	1	13	4	
1789	7ff	200	2	–	–	
1790	8ff	000	2	3	5⅓	
1791	8ff	000	2	3	5⅓	
1792	7ff	200	2	–	–	
1793	8ff	000	2	3	5⅓	
1794	8ff	000	2	3	5⅓	
1795	8ff	000	2	3	5⅓	
1796	8ff	400	2	6	8	
1797	7ff	200	2	–	–	
1798	8ff	400	2	6	8	
1799	7ff	600	2	2	2⅔	
1800	9ff	500	2	12	9⅓	

The preceding Account—*continued*

YEAR.	Price in Currency of 20 Alquieres, equal to 8 English Bushels, or 1 Quarter.		Price in Sterling Money, at par of Exchange of 3ff 600 Reis.	GENERAL OBSERVATIONS and REMARKS.
			£. s. d.	
1801 - -	12ff	520	3 9 6⅔	SINCE the introduction of Indian Corn into the Azores, as food for the labouring class, the export of Wheat has diminished in St. Michael's, from 30,000 qrs. to 4,000, while Indian Corn, Broad Beans and Calavances, have risen to 40,000 qrs. annually, all which goes to Portugal. The other islands are very productive in Wheat and Barley, and export also large quantities of surplus Grain. After feeding a population of more than 200,000 inhabitants, Grain can be exported sufficient for one million of people; but the feodal laws still existing, are a great check to the industry of the inhabitants, and much land is suffered to lie waste for lack of encouragement, and from the short leases allowed by law. The clergy do not receive tithes, which are farmed by the Crown to contractors, and the clergy are paid a composition in lieu of tithe. The power of stopping all exportation is lodged discretionally with the municipal officers of each city or town; and importation of foreign Grain is prohibited under certain restrictions, except in cases of great failure of the crops. If the export of Indian Corn were allowed to the British West Indies, 100,000 acres of waste land would be brought into immediate cultivation.
1802 - -	8ff	300	2 6 1⅓	
1803 - -	10ff	100	2 16 1⅓	
1804 - -	11ff	460	3 3 8	
1805 - -	14ff	840	4 2 5⅓	
1806 - -	11ff	320	3 2 10⅔	
1807 - -	10ff	280	2 17 1⅓	
1808 - -	10ff	420	2 17 10⅓	
1809 - -	11ff	800	3 5 6⅔	
1810 - -	16ff	500	4 11 8	
1811 - -	17ff	100	4 15 –	
1812 - -	20ff	560	5 14 2⅔	
1813 - -	14ff	160	3 18 8	
1814 - -	12ff	880	3 11 6⅔	
1815 - -	12ff	660	3 10 4	
1816 - -	11ff	660	3 4 8	
1817 - -	16ff	080	4 9 4	
1818 - -	15ff	100	4 3 10⅔	
1819 - -	11ff	100	3 1 8	
1820 - -	8ff	140	2 5 2⅔	
1821 - -	7ff	700	2 2 9⅔	
1822 - -	10ff	180	2 16 6⅔	
1823 - -	10ff	500	2 18 4	
1824 - -	13ff	400	3 14 5⅓	
1825 - -	11ff	280	3 2 8	
1826 - -	13ff	100	3 12 9⅓	

City of Ponta Delgada,
Island of St. Michael,
21st January 1827.

(signed) *W. Harding Read,*
Consul General.

20.—LISBON.

British Consulate General, Lisbon, 30th January 1827.

SIR,

IN answer to your dispatch of the 29th June last, with two Enclosures, which by some mistake reached me only at the end of last year, I beg leave to enclose a Return of the Average Prices of Wheat in Portugal from the year 1728 up to the last year; no records being found of a later period.

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No records being kept in the Provinces, the same cannot be obtained in the different districts.

As no Grain is exported from Portugal, on that part of the dispatch relating to the prices and quantities exported, no information can be given.

The transit duty of Foreign Corn is seven shillings per quarter; and Corn, the produce of this country, pays no transit duty in the interior, but is charged with a municipal duty of nearly six shillings a quarter when sold in Lisbon.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *R. Matthews*, Con' General.

John Bidwell, Esquire,
&c. &c. &c.

STATEMENT of the Yearly AVERAGE PRICES of WHEAT at LISBON, as paid to the Farmer, free of all Charges, between the Years 1727 and 1827.

YEAR.	Price per Winchester Quarter of 20 Alqueires, reduced into Sterling, at the par of Exchange of 67½ Pence per Milrea.	YEAR.	Price per Winchester Quarter of 20 Alqueires, reduced into Sterling, at the par of Exchange of 67½ Pence per Milrea.
	£. s. d.		£. s. d.
1728	1 12 8	1748	1 19 –
1729	1 3 10	1749	1 17 4
1730	1 15 6	1750	2 4 5
1731	1 10 8	1751	2 1 –
1732	1 14 7	1752	1 13 6
1733	1 14 7	1753	2 1 2
1734	1 15 7	1754	1 18 2
1735	1 16 –	1755	1 11 8
1736	1 17 6	1756	1 11 –
1737	2 5 1	1757	2 8 8
1738	1 14 10	1758	2 – 10
1739	1 11 3	1759	2 12 5
1740	1 18 3	1760	2 2 3
1741	2 2 8	1761	1 15 5
1742	1 9 4	1762	2 5 9
1743	1 10 10	1763	2 – 9
1744	1 16 1	1764	2 14 1
1745	2 2 –	1765	2 3 6
1746	1 10 2	1766	1 7 2
1747	1 18 2	1767	2 1 5

Statements of the Yearly Average Prices of Wheat at Lisbon, &c.—*continued.*

YEAR.	Price per Winchester Quarter of 20 Alqueires, reduced into Sterling, at the par of Exchange of 67½ Pence per Milrea.	YEAR.	Price per Winchester Quarter of 20 Alqueires, reduced into Sterling, at the par of Exchange of 67½ Pence per Milrea.
	£. s. d.		£. s. d.
1768	2 13 7	1798	3 14 3
1769	3 2 5¾	1799	3 10 8
1770	2 5 6¾	1800	5 – 6
1771	2 4 2	1801	5 12 6
1772	2 18 2½	1802	3 10 11
1773	2 8 1¾	1803	3 13 –
1774	2 8 4½	1804	4 7 4
1775	2 14 5¼	1805	4 15 10
1776	2 12 10½	1806	4 – –
1777	2 6 4½	1807	3 8 8
1778	2 12 3¾	1808	6 7 2
1779	3 1 2	1809	4 16 3
1780	3 2 11	1810	6 11 9
1781	2 11 7½	1811	7 – 7
1782	2 2 9½	1812	7 12 6
1783	2 – 3	1813	5 3 –
1784	2 16 3	1814	4 12 3
1785	3 – 3	1815	3 18 9
1786	2 12 –	1816	4 16 9
1787	2 9 1	1817	5 17 6
1788	2 8 –	1818	4 7 9
1789	2 15 7	1819	2 14 2
1790	3 3 –	1820	3 7 10
1791	2 14 –	1821	3 8 –
1792	2 5 2	1822	3 18 3
1793	3 7 10	1823	4 9 9
1794	3 12 7	1824	4 6 9¾
1795	3 5 5	1825	4 1 2
1796	2 18 3	1826	4 1 –
1797	2 19 –		

Lisbon, 27th January 1827. (signed) *R. Matthews*, Consul G^l.

(*in Continuation.*)

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FURTHER ACCOUNTS;

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N° 1.

Mr. Consul During to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, Trieste, 3d February 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of the circular letter, dated Foreign Office, 15th December 1826, which reached me on the 29th ultimo, and to which I am enabled to give an early answer, as the information called for by Parliament may be comprised in a narrow compass.

The States of His Majesty the Emperor of Austria being in general essentially agricultural, and producing abundantly all the different species of grain, and the great extent of the Imperial dominions, the small number of sea-ports, the low value of land, and other circumstances affording, or being thought to afford, sufficient protection to the cultivator, there are no laws to regulate the import or export of grain in this country, and for the last fifty years a necessity for prohibiting or restricting the exportation of corn has very seldom occurred.

In the year 1796 an Imperial ordinance prohibited the exportation of corn from the Austrian provinces on the Adriatic, which was intended to prevent succours from being sent to the French army in Italy. For a similar reason, an embargo was laid in this port on vessels laden with grain in 1805; but these are to be considered as political measures, and not as commercial regulations, and were only temporary.

In the year 1816 the general scarcity of corn, and the dearth, which more particularly afflicted the provinces of Inner Austria, Istria, and Dalmatia, rendered it necessary to restrain the issues from this port; but this restriction was soon after taken off; and the importation of grain has never been prohibited or limited by law, proclamation, or otherwise.

Trieste, where I reside, being a free port, there are no duties whatever on grain, except the common duty of one half per cent. ad valorem, payable on all goods and merchandise without distinction, and the trade in grain of every kind is perfectly open, free, and unrestrained.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esquire, &c. &c. &c.

signed *George During.*

N° 2.

The Right Honourable H. W. W. Wynn to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Copenhagen, 27th January 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Lord Howard de Walden's dispatch of the 15th ult. in which he transmitted to me, by your directions, an address to His Majesty from the House of Lords, requesting information relative to the laws affecting the export and import of corn in the different countries of Europe.

The general regulation of all duties in Denmark took place by the tarif of 1st February 1797. Grain remained then as it had been before, free for exportation; but in the year 1802 the following small duties were ordered:

Wheat	-	$13\frac{5}{6}$	rbsk. silver per ton	-	or	-	$7\frac{1}{2}$	*d.*	per imperial quarter.			
Rye	-	-	$8\frac{4}{5}$	-	-	ditto	-	-	-	-	5 *d.*	-	-	-	ditto.
Barley	-	$8\frac{4}{5}$	-	-	ditto	-	-	-	-	5 *d.*	-	-	-	ditto.
Oats	-	$4\frac{2}{5}$	-	-	ditto	-	-	-	-	$2\frac{1}{2}$ *d.*	-	-	-	ditto.
Peas	-	$17\frac{3}{5}$	-	-	ditto	-	-	-	-	10 *d.*	-	-	-	ditto.

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This was abolished by the King's proclamation of the 25th November 1819, and no duty has since been imposed; on the contrary, in order to encourage exportation the additional 50 per cent. above the appointed duties levied on goods imported in ships not belonging to privileged nations, is returned if they take back cargoes of grain. The late treaties with America and Sweden have now reduced the flags which are not privileged to those of Hanover, Mecklenburgh, Oldenburg, Bremen, and Lubeck.

As Denmark is a growing country, and as it requires very extraordinary circumstances to enable a merchant to import grain with any prospect of profit, the following tarif of duties may almost be considered as nominal:

Wheat	73 rbsk.	silver per ton	or	3*s.* 5*d.*	per imperial quarter.
Rye	45	ditto		2*s.* 1 *d.*½.	ditto.
Barley	32	ditto		1*s.* 6*d.*	ditto.
Oats	29	ditto		1*s.* 4*d.*	ditto.
Peas	74	ditto		3*s.* 6*d.*	ditto.
Rape Seed	32	ditto		1*s.* 6*d.*½	ditto.
Vetches	56	ditto		2*s.* 8*d.*	ditto.

This duty is returned on re-exportation, with the deduction of a small transit duty of a half per cent.

The Danish government has of late years been obliged to receive grain in part payment of the taxes. The present high prices enabled them to realize great part of the stock of rye and barley, and it is not supposed that there is remaining above 20,000 tons of the former, and 30,000 tons of the latter.

In general, the stock of corn of all kinds in this country is very much diminished by the demands from Sweden and Norway. The prices are higher than in any port of the Baltic; and in the present state of the market it no longer answers to send it to England.

I have the honour, &c.

(signed) *H. W. Williams Wynn.*

The Right Hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

N° 3.

Mr. Consul General Canning to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Hamburgh, 9th Feb. 1827.

IN compliance with Mr. John Bidwell's letter, dated the 15th of December last, containing your directions to collect and transmit to you the information relative to the export and import laws, regulations and duties on corn in the countries within my district, required by the House of Lords in their address to His Majesty, dated the 29th of November last, of which I have received a copy, I have the honour to transmit to you herewith;

"A statement of the laws relative to the export and import of grain in the respective states to which I am accredited."

"A statement of the alterations that have taken place in the regulations with regard to the export and import of grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, during the last fifty years, whether by law, by proclamation, or by any other means, in the respective states at which I am accredited."

Since the receipt of Mr. Bidwell's letter, I have lost no time to collect the required information, but regret that it has not been in my power to obtain it sooner.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Henry Canning.*

The Right Hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

First Enclosure in N° 3.

A STATEMENT of the Laws relative to the Export and Import of Grain in the respective States to which His Majesty's Consul General residing at Hamburgh is accredited.

Hamburgh.

The export and import of grain has for more than a century been free. It is only required that an account of the quantities exported and imported shall be taken by the proper authorities, and that they see that the measure is right.

Bremen.

The export and import of grain is free, prohibition being incompatible with the principles of commerce at Bremen.

On grain, in common with all goods, there is a duty of ½ per cent on importation, and ⅓ per cent on exportation seawards. But if merely expedited, a most trifling "Spedition Duty" only is payable.

Mecklenburg.

Conformably to the "Landes Vergleich" of 1755, which is the fundamental law of the country, the corn trade throughout is free.

At Rastock, a town duty of about 4½ *d.* sterling per quarter is payable on grain exported; and at Wismar, on

Wheat - - -	about	7½ *d.* per quarter.
Rye - - - -		7 *d.* per d°
Barley - - - -		6½ *d.* per d°
Oats - - - -		5 *d.* per d°

and a temporary duty on each of about 1 *d.* per quarter.

In case of scarcity, the law provides for the prohibition of export, with concurrence of the states.

Oldenburg.

The export and import of corn is free, and only restricted by those regulations which prescribe the payment of the duty on export and import, which at present is—

On wheat, - -	not quite	4 *d.* per quarter.
– rye - - - -		2½ *d.* per d°
– barley - - - -		2½ *d.* per d°
– oats - - - -		1¼ *d.* per d°

Holstein.

The export of corn is at present free; the import subject to a small duty—

On wheat, -	of about	1 *s.* 6 *d.* per quarter.
– rye and barley - -		1 *s.* 2 *d.* per d°
– oats - - - -		– *s.* 9 *d.* per d°

Lubeck.

The export and import of corn is free; but when exported seawards is subject to a small duty—

On wheat, - -	of about	3½ *d.* per quarter.
– barley - - - -		3¼ *d.* per d°
– oats - - - -		2 *d.* per d°

Hamburgh, 9th Feb. 1827. (signed) *Henry Canning.*

Second Enclosure in N° 3.

A STATEMENT of the Alterations that have taken place in the Regulations with regard to the Export or Import of Grain, or in the Duties imposed thereon, during the last Fifty Years, whether by Law, by Proclamation, or by any other Means, in the respective States to which His Majesty's Consul General residing at Hamburgh is accredited.

Hamburgh.

No alteration has taken place in the regulations or in the duties on export or import of grain, at Hamburgh, during the last fifty years.

Bremen.

Many alterations have taken place in the duties on corn at Bremen during the last fifty years. Before the forcible possession of Bremen by the French, in the years 1810 and 1813, corn imported into Bremen landways was subject to no duty, as long as it was warehoused in Bremen, or was consumed there. If, however, corn was sent seawards out of Bremen, or also only passed by Bremen, a duty of 5 per cent for the then town "Stapleright," was levied on the bulk in kind, or on the value according to the market price. In the year 1817 an abatement of this staple-right was so far introduced, that the 5 per cent was no longer levied on the market price, but upon an agreed fixed price on each sort of corn, which was lower than the market price.

This fixed price was—

For wheat, 120 thaler per last, equal to about 40*s.* sterling per quarter.
– rye – 80 ditto – – – – 26*s.* 8*d.* ditto.
– barley 60 ditto – – – – 20*s.* ditto.
– oats – 30 ditto – – – – 10*s.* ditto.

In the year 1820, this tariff was further abated, and the prices on which the duty of 5 per cent was levied, were fixed at exactly half those preceding.

This duty continued until the introduction of the Weser Navigation Act, by which all staplerights on the Weser were taken off. Besides the staple duty, a duty was paid on corn imported or exported seawards, which earlier, and until the French occupation of Bremen, was as follows; namely,

Wheat imported, 18 grotes per last, equal to 1 *d.* per quarter.
Rye – – – – 13 – ditto – – – – $\frac{13}{18}$ *d.* ditto.
Barley – – – 9 – ditto – – – – $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* ditto.
Oats – – – – 7 – ditto – – – – $\frac{7}{18}$ *d.* ditto.

Wheat exported, 90 grotes per last, equal to 5 *d.* per quarter.
Rye – – – – 77 – ditto – – – – $4\frac{5}{18}$ *d.* ditto.
Barley – – – 73 – ditto – – – – $4\frac{1}{18}$ *d.* ditto.
Oats – – – – 31 – ditto – – – – $1\frac{13}{18}$ *d.* ditto.

And from the 5th December 1813 to the 1st of September 1824, it was as follows; namely,

Wheat imported, 24 grotes per last, equal to $1\frac{1}{3}$ *d.* per quarter.
Rye – – – – 20 – ditto – – – – $1\frac{1}{9}$ *d.* – ditto.
Barley – – – 16 – ditto – – – – $\frac{8}{9}$ *d.* – ditto.
Oats – – – – 8 – ditto – – – – $\frac{4}{9}$ *d.* – ditto.

Wheat exported, 108 grotes per last, equal to 6 *d.* per quarter.
Rye – – – – 80 – ditto – – – – $4\frac{4}{9}$ *d.* ditto.
Barley – – – 72 – ditto – – – – 4 *d.* ditto.
Oats – – – – 32 – ditto – – – – 2 *d.* ditto.

Since the 1st of September 1824, all former duties have ceased, and an entirely amended regulation has succeeded; according to which, all goods imported seawards pay a duty of $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, and exported seawards, $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent, on their real value; but if only "spedited," corn pays only a spedition duty of the merest trifle.

Mecklenburg.

No alteration has taken place in the regulations or in the duties on the export or import of grain into Mecklenburg during the last fifty years.

Oldenburg.

No essential alteration has taken place in the regulations for the export or import of grain into Oldenburg, by any law of the country, for the last fifty years; but only temporary restraints and prohibitions to export, arising from accidental circumstances, as in the year 1795 and 1805, when the export of corn was forbidden; but such prohibitions have been immediately taken off when the causes that occasioned them ceased.

No other alteration, in regard to the duties on the export and import of corn in this country, has taken place in the last fifty years, except in the year 1815, by the introduction of the frontier duty, instead of the former, so called "land duty," which had been levied according to the Weser tariff; according to the old tariff, the rate of duty was—

For Wheat, 57 grotes per last, equal to 3 *d.* per quarter.
Rye - 57 - ditto - - - - 3 *d.* ditto.
Barley, 37 - ditto - - - - 2 *d.* ditto.
Oats - 24⅓ - ditto - - - - 1⅓ *d.* ditto.

According to the present tariff, the rate of duty on export and import (both being alike) is, for

Wheat, 72 grotes per last, equal to 3½ *d.* a' 4 *d.* per quarter.
Rye - 48 - ditto - - - - 2¼ *d.* a' 2¾ *d.* ditto.
Barley, 48 - ditto - - - - 2¼ *d.* a' 2¾ *d.* ditto.
Oats - 24 - ditto - - - - 1 *d.* a' 1⅓ *d.* ditto.

Holstein Kiel.

No alteration of consequence has taken place either in the import or export duty of corn during the last forty years.

The import duty on wheat is about 1 *s.* 6 *d.* per quarter; rye, 1 *s.* 2 *d.*; barley, 1 *s.* 2 *d.*; and oats, 9 *d.* per quarter; but since the productions of this country increased so much, no importations have been requisite for many years past: These import duties, however, still exist.

The export duty on Wheat is now about 9½ *d.* per quarter.
Rye - - - 7½ *d.* ditto.
Barley - - 7½ *d.* ditto.
Oats - - - 5 *d.* ditto.

At present this export duty is not in force, and all grain of the above description can be exported duty-free to all countries. The suspension of the export duty took place a few years ago, to continue till government might think proper to renew it; but up to the present moment no further alteration has taken place. It is here to be observed, that when the export duty was in force, the matriculated or enregistered estates were always exempt, and the duties of export only levied on grain produced by smaller landholders and peasants.

Lubeck.

Return of alterations not yet received.

(signed) *Henry Canning.*

Hamburgh, 9th February 1827.

N° 4.

Sir *Charles Bagot* to Mr. Secretary *Canning*.

SIR, Brussels, 23d February 1827.

AGREEABLY to the directions contained in Lord Howard de Walden's letter of the 15th of last December, I have now the honour to transmit to you enclosed, a statement containing the best information which I have been able to collect in regard to the laws by which, during the last fifty years, the export and import of grain have been regulated in the Netherlands.

A statement of the laws upon this subject, as they regard Holland, has been already furnished to your office by His Majesty's Consul at Rotterdam, and I trust that the annexed statement of the laws, as they regard the Belgic Provinces, will, in conjunction with the report made by Mr. Ferrier, be found to contain all the information which His Majesty's Government may require upon this subject.

I have the honour, &c. &c.

(signed) *Charles Bagot.*

The Right hon. George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 4.

LEGISLATION concernant les DROITS d'ENTREE et de SORTIE, sur les GRAINS, dans les PAYS BAS.

			OBSERVATIONS.
Par le placard du 31 Juillet 1725, les DROITS D'ENTREE et de SORTIE étoient fixés de la manière suivante :—			
	Entrée.	Sortie.	
Froment, le last - - - -	6 0	Franc.	La prohibition à l'entrée a été rapportée par publication du 23 Decembre 1805, et remplacée par l'exemption de droits d'entrée et de sortie confirmée également par publication de 21 Decembre 1807; et la franchise declarée permanente par la loi du 29 Decembre 1809.
Seigle - - - - -	4 0	—	
Orge - - - - -	3 3	—	
Drèche - - - - -	5 0	—	
Avoine - - - - -	1 16	—	
Pois et fèves - - - -	5 0	—	
Sarrasin - - - - -	8 0	—	
Millet, le 100 lb. - - -	1 *s.* 8 *d.*	1 *s.* 8 *d.*	
Farine de froment et seigle, Gruau, ou biscuit de gruau	prohib. à l'entrée, — sort. franc.		
En rapport avec ce qui est observé ci-contre, vint l'imposition sur les produits étrangers, etablie par publication due 18 Decembre 1805, et dans laquelle on trouve ce qui suit :			
Froment - - - Poix - - - - Graines, rondes at plates	le last - -	16 *s.* 8 *d.*	
Seigle - - Orge - - Avoine - - Epéautre - - Sarrasin - - Féves et vesces	- - 1 - - -	11 0	
Drèche - - - -	„ - - -	8 4	
Mouture :			
Farine de froment, épéautre, seigle, orge, avoine, sarrasin, de blé de Turc, ou de quelque espèce mouture ou concassée; ainsi que le pain, biscuit, gâteaux, amidon poudre, gruau, orge perlée, et autres sortes de graines séches, façonnées ou germées, le son y compris - - - les 100 lb.	/6		L'impôt sur la mouture arrêté par public. du 17 Decembre 1805, étant une charge de consommation, en était séparé de même que les droits sur les poids et mesures rondes, comme elles ont été établiés par la public, du 13 Decembre 1805.

OBSERVATIONS.

Autre les droits sur-mentionnés il existait encore depuis le placard du 31 Juillet 1725, ce qu'on appelloit une prime, ou bénéfice d'enchère extraordinaire, (vielgell,) qui alors fut conservée seulement avec révocation du bénéfice d'enchère primitif, sur le pied de ce qui était ordonné à cet égard par le placard de 1702, consistant en un droit d' 1% à l'entrée et d' ½% à la sortie de toutes marchandises, à l'exception de celles transportées par le Rhin, la Meuse, ou par roulage.

Ce droit, dont en vertu d'un arrêté de 1806, toutes les marchandises ont été déchargées qui sont exemptes des droits d'entrée et de sortie, fut double en 1760; et apres quelques suspensions temporaires, et des nouvelles réintroductions des doubles droits, il demeura conservé en dernier lieu à 2% et à 1% jusqu' à l'époque de son entière abolition.

Lors de la réintroduction de l'ancienne legislation en 1813, il fut dit, à l'article des grains, qu'on n'y comptait pas de droit d'enchère; de manière que depuis cette èpoque ce droit demeura eteint. Le 17 Dec. 1814, ce droit de vente a été totalement aboli, et il n'en a plus eté question depuis.

Par la publication du 26 Fevrier 1802, on fixa le droit de transit sur une fois le droit d'entrée ou de sortie, d'après celui des deux qui se trouvait le plus élevé, sans aucune prime.

L'introduction du système continental apporta aussi, d'après l'arrêté du 31 Mars 1809, des changemens à l'egard du commerce des grains, système qui outre la stagnation complète du commerce avec l'Angleterre, restreignait celui avec d'autres Etats à quelques articles fixés, parmi lesquels était compris l'avoine à la sortie, et tous les grains, mais pour l'entrée seule.

Cet ordre des choses, et ensuite l'introduction en 1811 de la legislation Française, finit avec la Restauration en 1813, lorsque par la publication du 7 Dec. No. 12, il fut ordonné que le placard du 31 Juillet 1725, avec les changemens qui y avaient été faits jusqu' à l'époque de la réunion à la France, ainsi que la loi du 18 Dec. 1805, serviraient à l'avenir de régle sur cette matière.

Tout ayant été en consequence rétabli sur l'ancien pied, les droits d'entrée et de sortie resterent ainsi que l'impôt au taux indiqué précédemment.

Par arrêtés due 23 Dec. 1813, No. 22. et No. 90, l'on ré-introduicit parmi les impôts qui rempla cérent les droits reunis, les anciens droits de consommation, de poids, de mesure ronde, et mouture.

Par la loi du 15 Septembre 1816, servant d'introduction au nouveau projet de législation qui devait être mise en vigueur avec le 1 Dec. 1816, on fit disparâitre l'ancien impôt sur les produits étrangers, de même qu' entr' autres les droits de consommations, dits de poids et de mesure ronde et de mouture; toutefois, dans le système des impositions indirectes on comprit aussi de nouvelles impositions sur les poids et la mesure ronde, qui devraient être payées à l'importation de l'étranger.

Les droits sur l'importation et l'exportation des grains, sont en conséquence d'après le nouveau système fixés comme suit:

TARIF des DROITS d'ENTREE et de SORTIE du 3 Octobre 1816.

	Entrée.	Sortie.
Sarrasin, le last - - -	8 10	D. de F.
Fèves et vesces - - -	5 10	D. de F.
Pois - - - - -	5 15	D. de F.
Orge - - - - -	3 15	D. de F.
Millet, les 100 lb. - - -	1 *s.* 8 *d.*	1 *s.* 8 *d.*
Avoine, le last - - - -	2 0	D. de F.
Farine, graines moulues de toute espèce, less 100 lbs. - -	6 0	D. de F.
Pain, biscuit, gâteaux, gruaux, orge perlée, et toutes autres qualités de grains secs, faits au gérmes, engrais, vermicelle, macaroni, y compris la semoule, les 100 lbs. - - - -	6 0	D. de F.
Drèche, le last - - - -	5 10	D. de F.
Seigle - - - - -	4 10	D. de F.
Riz, les 100 lbs. - - -	2 *s.* 8 *d.*	2 *s.* 8 *d.*

Par les lettres "D. de F." l'on comprend le "Droit de Favelle," fixè à ½% de la valeur, ou 3½ sols des 100 lb. au choix.

Le droit de transit était fixé à une fois le droit d'entrée ou de sortie, d'après le plus élevé des deux, ou 3/ de la valeur, au choix du déclarant.

OBSERVATIONS.

	Entrée.	Sortie.
Epéautre, le last - - -	12 0	D. de F.
Froment - - - - -	6 0	D. de F.
Son, les 100 lb. - - -	6 0	10 %

Droit de pésage à l'importation.

Farine, les 100 lb. Orge perlée - - - Riz - - -	„ 3 s. 4 d.

Measure ronde à l'importation.

Froment et poix, le last - -	/1 4 12
Seigle - - Orge - - Avoine - - Epéautre - Sarrasin - Fèves et Vesces - - - - -	16 8

Par la loi du 12 Mai 1819, (Journal Officiel, No. 20,) les réglemens généraux sur la perception et la question des droits d'entrée et de sortie, et des accises, étant réunis, on a aussi combiné dans le nouveau tarif qui l'accompagne, les droits de poids et de mesure ronde, et ceux de l'entrée et de sortie.

DENOMINATION des ARTICLES.	Quantités.	Droits d'entrée.	Droits de sortie.	Poids de 100 lb.	Mesure ronde de le last.	OBSERVATIONS.
Sarrasin - - -	- le last -	18 50	50 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	Le droit de transit resta fixé à une fois le droit d'entrée et de sortie, d'après celui des deux qui est la plus élevé, ou 3 % de la valeur, au choix du déclarant.
Fèves et Vesces - -		5 50	50 cts.	- -	82 ¼ cts.	
Pois - - - -		5 75	50 cts.	- -	/23 ½ cts.	
Orge - - - -		3 75	40 cts.	- -	82 cts.	
Millet - - - -	les 100 lb. des P.B.	15 cts.	15 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Avoine - - -	- - le last - -	/2	40 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Farine, ou graines concassées de toutes sortes	100 lb. des P.B.	/12 14	20 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Pain, biscuit, gâteaux, gruau, orge perlée, et toutes espèces de graine secs, faits ou germés, engrais, vermicelle, macaroni, y compris la semoule - - - -	les 100 lb. des P.B.	/12 14	20 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Drèche - - - -	- le last -	5 50	50 cts.	- -	82 cts.	
Seigle - - - -		4 50	50 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Riz - - - - -	- 100 lb. P.B. -	25 cts.	25 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Epéautre - - -	- le last -	2 —	30 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Froment - - -		6 50	75 cts.	- -	/1.23 ½ cts.	
Son - - - -	- 100 lb. P.B. -	12 14	20 cts.	33 cts.	—	

Les droits sur les poids et la mésure ronde étant aboli par la loi du 26 Août 1822, les droits d'entrée et de sortie et de transit sont maintenant fixés de la manière suivante.

OBSERVATIONS.

On introduisit maintenant dans les accises un droit de consommation sur la mouture, c'est a dire, sur le froment, épéautre, et seigle, dont on dispense toutefois ce qui est destiné aux distilleries, brasseries, et amidonneries, et ce qui sert à l'engrais et à la nourriture du bétail.

ARTICLES.	Introduction.	Sortie.	Transit.	Changemens d'après la loi du 10 Juin 1825, le last.		Changemens d'après la loi du 24 Mars 1826, les 100 lbs.		
				Entrée.	Sortie.	Entrée.	Sortie.	Transit.
	Le Last.							
Sarrasin	/9 0	/ 60	/2 0	- - -	/0 20	—	—	—
Fèves et Vesces	6 0	0 60	2 40	- - -	0 20	—	—	—
Poix	7 0	0 60	2 40	- - -	0 20	—	—	—
Orge	4 50	0 40	2 50	/12 0	0 10	—	—	—
Avoine	2 50	0 30	1 0	7 0	0 10	—	—	—
Drèche	6 0	0 50	4 10	—	—	—	—	—
Seigle	5 0	0 50	1 60	15 0	0 15	/7 50	/0 7	/0 80
Epéautre	2 50	0 30	2 0	perlée - /15 nonperlée / 7	0 15 0 10	—	—	—
Froment	7 50	0 60	2 50	24 0	0 20	11 25	0 10	1 30
Gruau, pain, biscuit, gâteaux, farine de toutes espèces grains, vermicelle, macaroni, semoule, et son	le 100 lbs. 12 0	franc.	9 0	—	—	—	—	—

Finalement, on renvoye pour les entrepôts au chapitre 11 de la loi générale due 26 Aout 1822, (Journal Officiel, No. 38,) en remarquant que la faveur comme on étend l'entrepôt fictif, par rapport au froment, seigle, orge, et avoine, a été accordée provisoirement, pour un an, aux villes d'Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Dort, et Schiedam.

Translation.

LAWS concerning the DUTIES on the EXPORTATION and IMPORTATION of CORN in the NETHERLANDS.

The DUTIES on IMPORTATION and on EXPORTATION were, by the Ordinance of July 31 1725, fixed in manner following:

	Importation.	Exportation.
Wheat, the last	6 0	Free.
Rye	4 0	—
Barley	3 3	—
Malt	5 0	—
Oats	1 16	—
Pease and Beans	5 0	—
Buck Wheat	8 0	—
Millet, the hundred weight	1 *s.* 8 *d.*	1 *s.* 8 *d.*
Wheat and rye-flour, groats, or biscuit of groats, prohibited to be imported	Exportation free.	

In consequence of what is observed in the margin, a Duty was imposed on Foreign Produce, by a Decree dated the 18th December 1805, from which result the following items:

Wheat Pease Round and flat Grains	the last - 16 *s.* 8 *d.*

OBSERVATIONS.

The prohibition of importation was published in the decree of the 23d December 1805, and replaced by the exemption from duties on importation and exportation. It is also confirmed by the decree of December 21, 1807; and the freedom (of exportation) declared permanent by the law of December 29, 1809.

OBSERVATIONS.

Rye - - - - -	1 - - -	11	0
Barley - - - -			
Oats - - - - -			
Spelt Wheat - -			
Buck Wheat - -			
Beans and Vetches			
Malt - - - - - -		8	4

Corn Ground.

Wheat-flour, flour of spelt-wheat, of rye, of barley, of oats, of buck wheat, of Turkey corn, or of any other grain ground or broken, as likewise biscuit, cakes, starch, hairpowder, groats, pearl barley, and other descriptions of dry grain, wrought or raw, inclusive of bran, the cwt. - /6

The duty upon corn ground, decreed by the ordinance of December 17, 1805, being a duty upon consumption, was separated from it, as were the duties on round weights and measures enacted by the ordinance of 13th December 1805.

Besides the above-mentioned duties, there was also levied, since the ordinance of July 31, 1725, what was called a premium (veilgeld), of which, however, after the repeal of the original "veilgeld," only so much was retained as was directed on this head by the ordinance of 1702, that is to say, a duty of one per cent on importation, and of $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent on exportation of all commodities, with the exception of those brought down the Rhine and the Maese, or conveyed by land.

This duty, which, in virtue of an ordinance of 1806, was taken off from all goods exempted from duties of importation and exportation, was doubled in 1760; and after some temporary suspensions and fresh reintroductions of double duties, it was definitively retained at the rate of 2 per cent and 1 per cent until the period of its entire abolition.

On the re-introduction of the former legislation in 1813, it was stated, under the article of *corn*, that the *veilgeld* was passed over, so that since that period that duty has remained extinct. On the 17th of December 1814, that duty on the sale was entirely abolished, and never afterwards renewed.

The ordinance of the 26th February 1802 fixed the duty on transit at as much as the import or export duty, taking the highest of the two, without any premium.

The introduction of the continental system, in consequence of the ordinance of the 31st March 1809, was the occasion of changes with respect to the corn trade; which system, besides the complete stagnation of trade with England, restricted that with other States to some stipulated articles, among which were included oats for exportation, and all kinds of corn, but solely for importation.

That order of things, and the subsequent introduction, in 1811, of the French legislation, finished with the Restoration in 1813, when it was enacted by the ordinance 7th December, N° 12, that the ordinance of the 31st July 1725, with the changes which, until the period of the union with France, had therein been made, as well as the law of the 18th December 1805, should serve in future as a rule in this matter.

Every thing having in consequence been re-established on the ancient footing, the duties of exportation and importation remained as the previously mentioned duty on the rate.

By the law of the 15th September 1816, serving as an introduction to the new project of legislation which was to be put in force on the 1st December 1816, the old duty on foreign produce was taken off, and among others the duties on consumption, called duties on weight, on round measure, and on ground corn; however, in the system of indirect duties, new imposts were also included on the weight and round measure, which were to be paid on the importation from abroad.

The duties on the importation and exportation of corn are in consequence of the new system fixed as follows:

A Tariff of the Import and Export Duties of the 3d October 1816.

	Import.	Export.
Buck Wheat, per last	8 10	D. de F.
Beans and Vetches	5 10	D. de F.
Pease	5 15	D. de F.
Barley	3 15	D. de F.
Millet, per 100 lbs.	1 *s.* 8 *d.*	1 *s.* 8 *d.*
Oats, per last	2 0	D. de F.
Flour, ground grain of all kinds per cwt.	6 0	D. de F.
Bread, biscuit, cakes, groats, pearl barley, and all other kinds of dry grain, vermicelli, macaroni included, per 100 lbs.	6 0	D. de F.
Malt, per last	5 10	D. de F.
Rye	4 10	D. de F.
Rice, per 100 lbs.	2 *s.* 8 *d.*	2 *s.* 8 *d.*
Spelt Wheat, per last	12 0	D. de F.
Wheat	6 0	D. de F.
Bran, per 100 lbs.	6 0	10 %

Weight Duty on Importation.

Flour, per 100 lbs. pearl barley, and rice	3 *s.* 4 *d.*

Round Measure for Importation.

Wheat and Pease, per last	/1 4 12
Rye, Barley, Oats, Spelt Wheat, Buck Wheat, Beans and Vetches	16 *s.* 8 *d.*

The general regulations concerning the collection and administration of the import and export duties, and also of the excise, having been united by the law of the 12th May 1819, (Official Journal, N° 20,) in the new tariff which accompanies it, the duties on weight and round measure, as well as those on importation and exportation, are likewise combined.

OBSERVATIONS.

The antient duties on consumption, on weight, round measure, and ground corn, were by the decrees of the 23d December 1813, N° 22 and N° 90, introduced again among the duties which replaced the consolidated duties.

By the letters " D. de F." is understood the " *Droit de Favelle*," fixed at 1/5 per cent on the value, or $3\frac{1}{2}$ sols on the 100 lbs. at the option of the merchant. The duty of transit was fixed at as much as the import or export duty, taking the highest of the two; or at 3 per cent on the value, at the option of the merchant.

DENOMINATION of the ARTICLES.	Quantities.	Import Duties.	Export Duties.	Weight of 100 lbs.	Round Measure per Last.	OBSERVATIONS.
Buck Wheat	per last	18. 50	50 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	The duty of transit remained fixed as much as the import or export duty, taking the highest of the two, or at 3 per cent. on the value, at the option of the merchant.
Beans and Vetches	ditto	5. 50	50 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Pease	- - -	5. 57	50 cts.	- -	/1. 23 ½ cts.	
Barley	- - -	3. 75	40 cts.	- -	82 cts.	
Millet	per 100 lbs. of the Netherlands	15 cts.	15 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Oats	per last	/2	40 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Flour, ground grain of all kinds, bread, biscuit, cakes, groats, pearl barley, and all kinds of dry grain, in ear or malted, vermicelli, macaroni, and also semoule	per 100 lbs. of the Netherlands	12. 14	20 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Malt	the last	5. 50	50 cts.	- -	82 cts.	
Rye	the last	4. 50	50 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Rice	per 100 lbs. of the Netherlands	25 cts.	25 cts.	33 cts.	—	
Spelt Wheat	the last	2	30 cts.	- -	82 ½ cts.	
Wheat	the last	6. 50	75 cts.	- -	/1. 23 ½ cts.	
Bran	per 100 lbs. of the Netherlands	12. 14	20 cts.	33 cts.	—	

The duty on weight and round measure having been abolished by the law of the 26th August 1822, the import, export, and transit duties are now fixed in the following manner.

OBSERVATIONS.

There has now been introduced in the excise a duty of consumption on ground corn; that is to say, on wheat, spelt wheat and rye; from which, however, that destined for distilleries, breweries, and starch manufactories, as well as that which is used for fattening and feeding cattle, is exempt.

ARTICLES.	Importation.	Exportation.	Transit.	Changes made by Law of 10th Jan. 1826, per Last.		Changes made by the Law of the 24th March 1826, per 100 lbs.		
				Import.	Export.	Import.	Export.	Transit.
	Per Last.							
Buck Wheat	9 0	/1 60	/2 0	- -	/0 20	—	—	—
Beans and Vetches	6 0	0 60	2 40	- -	0 20	—	—	—
Pease	7 0	0 60	2 40	- -	0 20	—	—	—
Barley	4 50	0 40	2 50	/0 12	0 10	—	—	—
Oats	2 50	0 30	1 0	0 7	0 10	—	—	—
Malt	6 0	0 50	4 10	—	—	—	—	—
Rye	5 0	0 50	1 60	0 15	0 15	7 50	/0 7	/0 80
Spelt Wheat	2 50	0 30	2 pearled /15 / not pearled /7		0 15 / 0 10	—	—	—
Wheat	7 50	0 60	2 50	0 24	0 20	11 25	0 10	1 30
Groats, bread, biscuit, cakes, flour of all kinds, grain, vermicelli, macaroni, and semoule and bran	per 100 lbs. 0 12	franc.	0 9	—	—	—	—	—

Finally, we refer for the *entrepots* to the 11th chapter of the general law of the 26th of August 1822. (Official Journal, No. 38), remarking that the favour, which is understood by the fictitious *entrepot*, with regard to wheat, rye, barley and oats, was granted provisionally for a year to the cities of Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Dort, and Schiedam.

N° 5.

Mr. Consul General Matthews to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, Lisbon, 24 February 1827.

IN answer to your despatch of December 15th last, I beg leave to inclose a statement of the laws relative to the import and export of grain in Portugal, where no exportation of grain whatever taking place, all alterations by law, proclamation, or edict will be found to relate to its importation only.

The establishment of the terreiro, or general granary, has, since the year 1779, been the exclusive mart for the sale of corn at Lisbon, and all the warehouses in the different parts of the town been made dependencies of it. A tax of twenty reis per alquiere has since then been laid on the sale of all corn for the support of the establishment, and the surplus destined to the construction and repairs of high roads, canals, and other objects tending to benefit agriculture.

The series of edicts and proclamations on corn offer no alteration in their general principle till the year 1821, when the late Cortes issued a decree prohibiting the importation of foreign grain in all the ports of Portugal, except when the average price of wheat is at 800 reis the alquiere at Lisbon, and 1,000 reis at Oporto, owing to the difference of measure: a maximum is also fixed for maize or Indian corn. The duty paid on the importation then allowed is of 200 reis the alquiere of hard wheat, and of 100 reis for that of soft wheat; and when the price exceeds 900 reis the alquiere in Lisbon, wheat may be imported duty-free.

An attempt has been made in the present session of the Cortes to pass a bill to annul this maximum of value of corn, and to admit all foreign corn for home consumption on payment of certain duties, and to permit the deposit of corn in transitu; but it was overpowered by a small majority, and the law of the extinct Cortes is still in vigour, with the modification of allowing foreign corn once imported to be re-exported, and submitting to the inspector-general of the public granary to determine what quantity of foreign corn it may be expedient to admit after the market price of the home produce has reached the maximum. One of the strongest arguments adduced by a deputy in favour of this existing law, was a statement, that by an estimate of the quantity of foreign corn imported into Lisbon for the period of twenty years, from 1800 to 1819, it appeared that 20,000 moyos (60,000 quarters) of Portuguese wheat only had been consumed, and that upwards of 90,000 moyos of foreign wheat had been yearly introduced; but that, owing to the action of the law restricting the entry of foreign grain, which gave so much encouragement and energy to agriculture, 25,000 moyos only of foreign wheat had been required in the year 1821, and none at all in the years 1822 and 1825, and but 8,000 moyos in the year 1826, owing to the failure of the crops.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *J. R. Matthews.*
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 5.

STATEMENT of the Laws in Portugal relative to the Importation and Exportation of Grain, extracted from the Records of the Corn Market.

1779. June 12th. A regulation by Alvara, ordering all grain that is brought to Lisbon, or its district, to be taken to the public granary, and to pay 20 reis the alquiere.

1783. April 23d. A decree, prohibiting the importation of foreign flour in all the ports of Portugal.

1790. May 31st. A ministerial order, allowing the importation and sale of a number of barrels of flour, equal to 7,951 moios or 23,853 Winchester quarters.

1792. Dec. 26. An order, not to allow the exportation of foreign flour without permission from the inspector general of the corn market.

1793. May 7th. A provisionary order, to permit the admission of foreign flour which might enter the port, destined for the ultra-marine colonies, until the month of August following, and to allow the re-exportation thereof to the said colonies.

1793. July 22d. An order that, during the existence of the provisional admission of flour, entry to be made of the same at the corn market instead of the custom-house, paying there the 50 reis per barrel which the custom-house received under the head of tare.

1793. Dec. 22d. An order, to intimate to the merchants to import from foreign ports some flour, or corresponding grain, in anticipation of a scarcity of bread.

1796. Oct. 23d. An order, permitting the entry and sale of foreign flour, from the month of December 1796 until August 1797.

1797. August 26th. An order, extending the permission for one year longer of the entry and sale of foreign flour imported.

1798. August 17th. An order, extending said permission for the importation and sale of foreign flour for one year longer.

1799. December 9th. An order, for the admission and sale of foreign flour during existing circumstances.

1802. August 31st. An order, to suspend the admission of foreign flour; and allowing four months for the consumption of what may be on hand.

1803. February 3d. An order, renewing the admission of foreign flour, in apprehension of a failure in this year's crop, on paying 40 reis vendage duty per alquiere.

1804. November 7th. An order, that oats, which according to the regulation of 1779 was not explained in the section of No. 6, be considered as belonging to the corn market department, and reputed in the light of barley.

1814. May 31st. A ministerial edict, ordering that, 90 days after publication thereof, foreign flour should pay 120 reis per alquiere, instead of 40 reis which it before paid.

1815. January 24th. A ministerial edict, ordering that all foreign flour imported after the 1st of March ensuing, should pay 200 reis per alquiere, instead of 120 reis.

1816. September 17th. An order, that foreign flour should pay 120 reis per alquiere, between 1st November 1812 and 28th February, and, at the expiration of four months after that period, to continue to pay 200 reis per alquiere, in conformity to the preceding edict.

— December 10th. An order, extending the operation of above edict to the 30th of April 1817.

1817. January 20th. An order, that flour imported from foreign ports pay only 40 reis per alquiere until the end of June of this year, notwithstanding what is determined in the last-mentioned order.

— July 5th. An order, extending for three months longer the regulation made respecting the vendage duty on flour.

1818. July 16th. A resolution, that Indian corn and rye-flour should from this date pay 480 reis per barrel, instead of 2$ 400 reis per barrel, paid thereon.

1819. May 11th. A provisional regulation, that the foreign wheat entered at the corn market should pay 80 reis per alquiere, and Indian corn 100 reis per alquiere.

— January 18th. An order, that all foreign wheat shall pay 200 reis per alquiere duty.

1819. September 14th. An order, continuing the entry of foreign wheat for the space of forty days, paying a vendage duty of 200 reis per alquiere, and prohibiting, after that period, the entry of hard wheat, but permitting soft wheat, on a vendage duty of 80 reis per alquiere.

1820. January 29th. An order, permitting the entry of hard wheat by sea and land from the 1st of April of this year, on payment of 200 reis per alquiere soft wheat, Indian corn and rye continuing to pay 100 reis per alquiere.

1820. March 18th. An order, prohibiting the entry of foreign hard wheat and Indian corn.

— April 19th. An order, extending the benefit of admission to foreign flour and kidney beans, paying 200 reis per alquiere.

— October 6th. A government edict, suspending the effect of the fourth paragraph of the edict of the 30th of May of this year, as far as relates to the duties of grain imported, until adequate regulations are adopted.

1821. April 28th. A decree of the extinct Cortes, prohibiting the entry of foreign grain, and making the admission thereof dependant on the comparative regulating prices in the corn market.

— May 10th. An order, allowing all foreign grain already imported, and what may in future be imported, to be re-exported free of duty or clearance fees, notwithstanding the existing prohibitionary law.

— December 7th. An order, permitting the entry of 3,200 barrels of flour, the same to be considered as wheat both in the admission and sale.

1824. October 15th. An order, prohibiting the entry of foreign grain without the express order of government, founded on the report of the inspector general of the corn market, which order is to be promulgated with due anticipation.

(signed) *J. R. Matthews.*

No. 6.

Mr. Consul Parke to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Ancona, 9th February 1827.

WITH reference to the despatch dated the 15th of December last, I have now the honour to enclose a statement of the laws relative to the export and import of grain in the Roman States, and also a statement of the alterations that have taken place in the export and import of grain, or in the duties imposed thereon, since the year 1748, by the decrees of the then existing governments.

I have the honour to be, &c.

The Right hon. George Canning, &c. &c. &c. (signed) *John Parke.*

Enclosure in N° 6.

STATEMENT of the LAWS relative to the EXPORT and IMPORT of GRAIN in the ROMAN STATES, and also a Statement of the Alterations that have taken place in the Export and Import of Grain, or in the Duties imposed thereon, since the year 1748, by Decrees of the existing Governments.

8th July 1748. Decree of the Pope.

The importation of foreign grain prohibited; exportation of grain allowed free of duty, after the wants of the population of each district had been calculated, and supplied to the public granaries. In case the harvest was not sufficient to supply the wants of the population according to the calculation made, foreign corn was allowed to be imported without payment of duty, and purchased by the government, by whom it was sold to the people. Each grower of grain was obliged, under severe penalties, to give an exact account of the quantity housed to the municipality; and it was intimated to him how much he was at liberty to export, the remainder being purchased by the government for home consumption.

This system lasted till the year 1800.

4th November 1801.—Decree of the Pope.

Introduction of grain prohibited until the price arrived at 12 scudi per rubbio, when it was admitted without payment of duty.

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The exportation of grain always permitted at a duty until the price arrived at 12 scudi, when it was prohibited; and a premium granted of half a scudo per rubbio when the price was at or under 5 scudi; when at 6 scudi, a graduated scale of duties was imposed from $\frac{5}{100}$ of a scudo, up to scudi 3 $\frac{50}{100}$, when it reached the prohibitory price of 12 scudi per rubbio.

This system lasted until 1810.

2d August 1810. Decree of the Viceroy of the Kingdom of Italy.

The importation of grain prohibited, and its exportation permitted, on payment of $\frac{75}{100}$ of a franc per 100 lbs. of Milan.

This system lasted till September 1810.

12th September 1810. Decree of the Viceroy of the Kingdom of Italy.

Prohibiting the exportation of corn, and its importation allowed when the price arrived at 16 scudi per rubbio.

This system lasted until 1818.

17th June 1818. Decree of the Pope.

Permitting the exportation of grain until the price arrived at 16 scudi per rubbio, but imposing a duty of 1 scudo when at 14 scudi, and 2 scudi when at 15 scudi.

This system lasted until 1822.

28th June 1823. Decree of the Pope.

Importation prohibited until the price arrived at 14 scudi per rubbio, when it was admitted, and without payment of duty. Exportation always allowed. A duty of 1 scudo per rubbio imposed when at 12 scudi per rubbio, of 2 scudi when at 13, and at 14 scudi exportation prohibited.

This system lasted until 1825.

24th January 1825. Decree of the Pope.

The importation of grain allowed on the before-mentioned conditions, and a premium granted on exportation of 1 scudo per rubbio when the price is under 5 scudi, and altogether prohibited when at 14 scudi per rubbio; which decree is at present in force.

Ancona, 8th February 1827.

N° 7.

Consul-General Sir Daniel Bayley to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, St. Petersburgh, 13th January (12th February) 1827.

IN reference to what I had the honour to write to you on the 14th (26th) January, I have proceeded with all possible diligence in the execution of the orders conveyed to me by your circular despatch of the 15th December last, to collect and to transmit the information required by the House of Lords relative to the importation and exportation of grain, and the laws which have been passed in their regard in this country.

To effect the object in view in any thing like an authentic manner, I have been obliged to find access to the archives of the senate, and to procure, at some expense, extracts from all the oukazes to be found there which bear upon the question.

Of the extracts thus procured I have made translations.

The first oukaze was issued in the year 1717, the last in 1810; at least I have not discovered any others, though it may be remarked that there are very considerable intervals between their dates; as, for instance, between 1728 and 1762, 1788 and 1807, and from 1810 to this time. It is probable that many changes were made during these periods; and indeed, by a reference to the tariffs, the fact appears to have been so.

These tariffs are seven in number, commencing in 1766, and ending with that now in operation.

From these I have made extracts of the duties imposed on the importation and exportation of grain, and reduced them into sterling money per imperial quarter.

To obviate the possibility of my being understood to state that no other alterations or restrictions have been made in the laws touching grain beyond those I now transmit to you, it may be right to mention that a variety of orders and counter orders on the subject have, without all doubt, been issued at different times, but which do not appear on record.

From my own personal experience I can call several to mind, issued on the spur of the occasion, during my long residence here. Some from the office of the military governor, some from that of the minister of finance and commerce, and others from the commissariat department; but of these, if any copies do exist, they are beyond my means to obtain possession.

On some occasions, on the which such orders have been issued, the exportation was suspended, without (it is presumed) the full knowledge or authority of government. They may therefore be considered as not coming under the denomination of laws, nor of proclamations, nor of usages, but rather of abuses.

I now come to enclose to you, to be laid before Mr. Secretary Canning, translations of seventeen extracts from the oukazes of the senate, from the year 1719 to 1827, marked A. N° 1.; extracts from the seven tariffs issued from the year 1766 to this time, showing the duties imposed on the exportation and importation of wheat, oats, barley and rye, the amount being reduced into sterling money per imperial quarter, marked B. 2, 3, 4.

I wish it had been within my competency to have transmitted more extensive and more circumstantial information, but such as it is I can vouch for its accuracy.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Daniel Bayley.*

First Enclosure in N° 7.

EXTRACTS of UKAZES, passed relative to the trade of GRAIN, its import and export.

1717. July 8th. Allows the export of rye, wheat, and barley, at a duty of ½ dollar per chetvert rye or barley, equal to 2 *s.* 11 *d.* per imperial quarter, and 1 dollar per chetvert wheat, = to 5 *s.* 10 *d.* per ditto.

1718. February 14th.—Allows the export of linseed and hempseed.

1723. May 28th.—Forbids the contractors for the supplying the magazines of St. Petersburgh to buy grain, which is imported by sea at that place, but to bring the grain contracted for from the interior of Russia; and to have the grain imported by sea for the consumption of the inhabitants.

1728. June 16th & 28th.—Allows the export of grain from the port of Riga. No duties mentioned.

1762. July 31st.—Allows the export of grain from Russia by land and by sea, at half the duty which is collected at the ports of Riga, Reval, and Pernau, provided the price of rye-flour be under 156 cup. per cool of 9 poods, and 255 cup. per bag of 5 poods.

1763. April 4th.—Orders the local authorities of Riga and Reval to pay a strict attention to the export of grain, in order that the inhabitants may not be exposed to a want of sufficient supplies for their consumption.

1764. September 28th.—Gives to the town of Narva permission to buy each year 5,000 chetverts of grain for exportation.

1766. April 6th.—In order to encourage the agriculture of Russia, allows the export of wheat from all the Russian ports for the next six years.

N. B.—The Baltic ports to go on as formerly.

1767. August 13th.—Orders that it be allowed to the Russian merchants to export grain from the Russian ports at half the duty which is collected in the ports of the Baltic, without any other charges.

1778. May 8th.—Confirms the permission to export grain from St. Petersburgh, at a duty of 3 *d.* sterling per 1 imperial quarter on rye, and 5 *d.* sterling per do. on wheat.

1779. March 4th.—Allows the export of grain from St. Petersburg and Archangel, and 50,000 chetverts yearly from Narva, at the same duty as from Riga.

1779. May 5th.—Invites the local authorities to pay strict attention, that during the permission to export grain by sea a full quantity required for home consumption should remain on the spot. *N. B.* This shows that the permission to export grain depended more or les on the governors of the provinces.

1781. March 16th.—Allows the export of grain to foreign countries by sea, and likewise the permission to export 10,000 chetverts from the port of Oniga, the duty thereof to be paid at Archangel.

1787. September 23d.—Takes off the prohibition to export grain, where it may have existed.

1788. May 11th.—To report the state of the crops in the interior, and the quantities remaining over for sale.

1807. August 27th.—Orders that purchases for collecting grain are not to be made without information being made to and permission granted by government.

1826. December 18th.—Takes off the restriction to export grain from St. Petersburg without a previous permission from the Governor General.

Second Enclosure in N° 7.

Tariff of 1766.

	IMPORT.	EXPORT.
Grain of every Description.	Free.	As enacted by Ukauses.

Tariff of 1782.

	IMPORT.	EXPORT.
Rye - - -	6 *d.*	3 *d.*
Wheat - - -	9	4 ½
Oats - - -	8	4
Barley - -	12	6

Per one imperial quarter.

Third Enclosure in N 7.

Tariff of 1798.

	IMPORT.		EXPORT.	
	By Sea.	By Land.	By Sea.	By Land.
Rye - -	12 *d.*	Free.	3 *d.*	4 *d.*
Wheat - -	18	Free.	5	6
Oats - -	16	Free.	8	5 ½
Barley - -	24	Free.	6	8

Per one imperial quarter.

Tariff of 1811.

	IMPORT.	EXPORT.
Grain - -	Prohibited.	Duty free.

Tariff of 1816.

	IMPORT.	EXPORT.	
	By Sea & by Land.	By Sea.	By Land.
Rye - -	25 s. ad Val.	6 *d.*	2 *d.*
Wheat - -	- D° - -	8	2 ½
Oats - -	- D° - -	4 ½	1 ½
Barley - -	- D° - -	6	2

Per one imperial quarter.

Fourth Enclosure in No. 7.

Tariff of 1820.

		IMPORT.			EXPORT.
		Customs.	Consumption Duty.	TOTAL.	
		d.	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*d.*
Rye	By Sea	6 1/4	4 8 1/4	5 2 1/2	5 1/2
	Land	1 1/4	- -	- 1 1/4	1 3/4
Wheat	By Sea	10	7 6	8 4	7 1/2
	Land	2 1/2	- -	- 2 1/2	2 3/4
Oats	By Sea	3 3/4	2 9 1/4	3 1 1/2	4
	Land	- 1/2	- -	- - 1/2	2 1/12
Barley	By Sea	6 1/4	4 8 1/4	5 2 1/2	5 1/4
	Land	1	- -	- 1	- 1/12

Per one Imperial Quarter.

Tariff of 1822, now in force.

	IMPORT.		EXPORT.
	By Sea.	By Land.	By Sea and by Land.
	s. *d.*	*d.*	*d.*
Rye	8 4	10	1 1/2
Wheat	12 6	15	3
Oats	6 3	7 1/2	1 1/2
Barley	8 4	10	1 1/2

Per one Imperial Quarter.

St. Petersburg, {31st January / 12th February} 1827.

N° 8.

Consul General Sir DANIEL BAYLEY to JOHN BIDWELL, Esq.

SIR, St. Petersburg, 5/17 February 1827.

SINCE I had the honour of transmitting to you all the information I could collect concerning the importation and exportation of grain from this port, and which I did my despatch of the 31 January / 12 February, an oukaze to the senate (dated January,) has come into my possession, which appeared to me to be of too much importance as regards the question of the Corn Laws, not to render it my duty to procure a translation of it *in extenso*, though at some expense, and to forward it to you without delay, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

(signed) *Daniel Bayley.*

Enclosure, N° 8.

EXTRAIT des JOURNAUX du COMITE de MM. les Ministres du 7 et 18 Décembre 1826.

Dans la Seance du 7 Décembre le Comité a entendu la lecture de la Note de M. le Ministre des Finances du 24 Novembre, N° 26,789, (Département du commerce exterieur,) insérée dans le journal du Comité sous N° 2,166, concernant l'exportation du blé du port de St. Petersbourg à l'étranger.

Quelques unes des principales maisons de commerce Russes et étrangères à St. Petersbourg, après avoir eu des conférences avec M. le Mimistre des Finances, sur l'état du commerce des bleds, ont presenté une requête, dans laquelle elles réprésentent, qu'en vertu de l'ordonnance actuellement existante, l'exportation des blés d'ici à l'étranger n'est permise qu'avec la permission expresse du Gouverneur Général Militaire, sans laquelle la Douane n'accepte pas les déclarations pour leur exportation. En conséquence de cette ordonnance, les maisons de commerce de l'étranger, en s'addressant aux négocians de St. Petersbourg au sujet des prix des blés, font la condition que les maisons de commerce de St. Petersbourg, en recevant leurs ordres pour l'achât des blés pour le compte des négocians étrangers, prennent sur eux la responsibilité que l'exportation libre en sera permise par le Gouvernement. Quoique l'exportation du blé du port de St. Petersbourg soit permise par le Tarif, et quoique à cause du manque de moulins à blé dans cette capitale (a l'exception de deux moulins pour le froment et le seigle,) le froment et le seigle en grains soyent envoyés de l'interieur dans cette capitale presque exclusivement pour l'exportation à l'étranger; mais nonobstant cela, comme il est nécessaire de demander chaque fois à cet effet une permission expresse du Gouverneur Général Militaire, les négocians de cette capitale n'ont pas la certitude de pouvoir assurer leurs correspondans que l'exportation des blés de ce port sera permise aussi à l'avenir, et ils ne peuvent prendre sur eux à cet égard la responsibilité, d'autant plus que le froment et le seigle, parce qu'il n'y a ici de moulins, sont ordinairement transportés à ce port par les marchands Russes en suite de contrats de vente faits d'avance à terme; par conséquence l'achat doit être faite six et duelquefois huit mois avant l'arrivée des blés dans cette capitale, et leur exportation à l'étranger. Une pareille incertitude à l'egard de la permission future de l'exportation des blés de ce port cause les inconvéniens suivans au commerce et a l'industrie Russe: 1° Les acheteurs de l'étranger ne peuvent s'adresser avec une parfaite assurance à leurs correspondans dans cette capitale pour les autoriser de conclure des contrats avec les marchands Russes de l'intérieur au sujet de la fourniture des blés à ce port: 2° Les marchands Russes de l'intérieur, faisant commerce au port de St. Petersbourg, ne veulent pas consentir, sans conclure des contrats préliminaires, pendant l'hiver, à fournir à ce port des quantités considérables de blé en grains pour leur compte, dans l'attente de demandes d'exportation à l'étranger qui pourraient être faites occasionnellement. En attendant le tems si nécessaire dans les endroits du Nord, à cause des débâcles des fleuves, pour faire les achâts dans l'intérieur, et les transports des lieux éloignés aux rivages, peut s'écouler inutilement, et l'occasion favorable pour l'exportation des produits de l'agriculture peut être perdue sans fruit pour l'industrie nationale; car il est nécessaire pour les négocians de l'étranger, que le blé exporté d'ici puisse arriver aux lieux de sa destination l'année suivante, avant que les récoltes ayent été faites dans les pays étrangers. Par cette raison les negocians prient que l'exportation libre des blés d'ici à l'étranger soit permise, et qu'il soit ordonné, afin de donner un libre cours aux affaires de commerce; que l'exportation du froment et du seigle en grains soit permise sans permission spécielle, par la raison que des quantités considérables de ces marchandises ne sont envoyées à ce port que pour être exportées. Quant aux autres espèces du blé (à l'exception du froment et du seigle en grains), comme la farine, l'avoine, l'orge, le gruau, les poix, &c., les negocians prient d'ordonner que les certificats de permission pour leur exportation à l'étranger soient donnés par le Gouverneur Militaire Général aux négocians qui soigneront l'exportation, dans le courant de l'hiver, et qui seront tenus de présenter les certificats des courtiers qui auront conclus les contrats pour la fourniture des blés des Gouvernemens de l'intérieur, à l'exception seulement des blés restés pour hiverner entre St. Petersbourg et Wickney Wolotchok.

Le Ministère des Finances, aprés avoir fait les enquêtes nécessaires, trouve qu'à

cause de la disette des récoltes dans plusieurs contrées de l'Europe, et de la permission temporaire donné par le Gouvernement Britannique d'importer dans ses ports des blés de l'étranger, le commerce des blés chez nous s'est visiblement animé, de sorte que du port de Riga ont été exportés jusqu'ici jusqu'a 216,000 schetwerts de diverses sortes de blé, hormi les grains de lin, quand au contraire, l'année passée il n'en a été exporté que 57,000 schetwerts; les demandes de l'avoine en ont haussé les prix dans le Gouvernement de Smolensk, et on en attend aussi des demandes à St. Petersbourg; ces espérances satisfaisantes que l'on devait attendre depuis longtems, la requête des négocians mérite l'attention du Gouvernement, et les circonstances qui y sont developpées doivent être reconnues justes. Le principe qu'il est nécessaire de demander préalablement la permission du Gouverneur Militaire Général de St. Petersbourg, trés gracieusement confirmé le 12 Septembre 1798, dont le but est que la capitale ne puisse souffrir de disette par l'achât de quantités considerables de blé pour l'exportation à l'étranger destinées pour la consomption de ses habitans. A cet effet le Chef principal de la capitale doit avoir connoissance de l'exportation de toutes sortes de blé, pour pouvoir prendre ses mesures; mais l'incertitude qui doit nécessairement s'en suivre, est sans contredit desavantageuse pour le cours libre des spéculations mercantiles, principalement au commencement du retablissement du commerce de blé. En consideration de toutes ces circonstances, le Ministre des Finances fait la conclusion, qu'il est bien possible de réunir les deux buts; c'est à dire, la sureté de l'approvisionnement à la capitale, et le libre cours des affaires mercantils; et il propose à cet effet les principes suivans: 1°. De permettre d'exporter du port de St. Petersbourg le froment et du seigle en grains, sans permission spécielle du Gouverneur Militaire Général, mais la Douane de cette capitale sera tenue de lui faire immédiatement rapport de chaque exportation: 2°. Quant à la farine de froment et de seigle, de même que de toutes espéces de blé en grains, à l'exception du froment et du seigle, si les negocians présenteront dans le courant de l'hiver, c'est à dire, jusqu'au 1er Avril, les certificate dss courtiers qui auront conclu les contrats d'achat de quantités determinées, lesquelles doivent être fournies des Governemens de l'Interieur à l'ouverture de la navigation de l'année prochaine *, a l'exception des transports destinés pour être vendus dans cette capitale, que hiverneront à Rybinsk; la permission demandée leur sera incessamment donnée pour l'exportation à l'etranger; et 3°. L'exportation du blé en été, mentionné au No. 2, pour lequel on n'avoit pas demandé de permission pendant l'hiver, restera sur le pied actuel. En presentant ces propositions à la discussion du Comité de MM. les Ministres, le Ministre des Finances, pour favoriser l'activité du commerce actuel des blés, prie de lui faire parvenir une resolution le plutôt possible.

Cette réprésentation, après qu'elle avait été lue dans la séance du Comité de MM. les ministres du 27 Novembre, fut préalablement envoyée à la revision du Gouverneur Militaire Général de St. Petersbourg: Celui-ci reprèsente de sa part, qu'apres avoir examiné l'état actuel du commerce des blés dans cette capitale, et après s'être abouché personnellement avec les marchands principaux, il ne trouve actuellement d'obstacle de permettre, conformèment avec l'opinion du Ministre des Finances, l'achat du seigle et du froment en grains dans les gouvernemens de l'intérieur, pour l'exportation à l'étranger du port de cette capitale. Mais comme dans la suite, lorsque de pareils achats seront renouvélés, comme il est à souhaiter pour l'état florissant de notre commerce, les marchands trafiquant avec de la farine seront obligés d'en diminuer la quantité à vendre, comme ils l'ont déclaré eux-mêmes lors de leurs conférences avec le Gouverneur Militaire Général; ce dernier pour mettre la capitale à l'abri d'une disette, par la diminution des transports de la farine, et pour prévenir d'autres suites fâcheuses inséparables de la disette des provisions de premiere nécessité, trouve necessaire—

(a) Que la permission proposée par le Ministre des Finances ne soit posée pour règle permanente et immuable restera en vigueur pour cette fois seulement: et.

(b.) Qu' à l'avenir, pour l'achat des blés des deux espèces, la permission sera donnée après que préalablement l'état des recoltes dans les gouvernemens qui fournissent principalement les provisions de blé pour l'approvisionnement de cette capitale aura éte verifié, et que la quantité du blé dont le transport on peut attendre

* Il faut remarquer que les premiers transports de blé arrivent en hiver au rivage de Soubtzoff; il en arrive aussi du rivage de Gshatsk; des gouvernemens de Sud, les transports ne peuvent arriver qu'en automme et au printems prochain.

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à cette capitale chaque été, d'après le cours ordinaire du commerce, aura été pris en consideration.

Et pour procurer de la certitude aux affaires mercantiles des négocians qui feront des exportations de blé de deux espèces à l'étranger, certitude qu'ils doivent nécessaires avoir pour la sureté de leurs conditions ou demandes faites à ce sujet, le gouvernement devra faire des annonces dans les gazettes de cette capitale chaque année, aux mois de Septembre ou Octobre, que l'exportation du blé à l'étranger sera permise après qu'il se sera assuré de l'état des recoltes du blé dans les gouvernemens de l'interieur.

D'aprés l'avis du Gouverneur Militaire Général quoiqu'il soit de la plus grande utilité pour notre commerce de favoriser l'exportation de nos productions, il n'est pas possible d'attendre qu'il arrive à cette capitale des transports de quantités toujours égales de blé, parcequ' à mesure que les demandes de blés en grains dans les gouvernemens de l'intérieur se multiplient, les transports de la farine, destinés pour cette capitale, doivent nécessairement diminuer, vu les avantages visibles qu'auront les merchands trafiquant avec les blés en grains.

Quant aux autres fournitures de blés, comme de la farine, de l'avoine, de gruau, de l'orge, des poix, &c. que les merchands trafiquant au port de St. Petersbourg prient de permettre d'exporter à l'étranger d'aprés les certificats des courtiers dont l'achat se fait ordinairement aux deux rivages de Rshevsk et de Gshatsk, comme les plus proches, pour effectuer les fournitures au terme fixé pour l'exportation à l'étranger, et comme aussi une partie des transports de blé, destinés pour l'approvisionnement de cette capitale, comme l'avoine, le gruau, et la farine de seigle, vient de les deux rivages, et que ces trois objêts sont des provisions de première necessité, dont la quantité requise doit être fournie pour l'approvisionnement de la capitale, il est nécessaire d'éviter que par l'exportation à l'étranger la quantité de quelqu'une de ces trois espèces de blé ne soit diminuée, ce qui peut aisément arriver, parceque la navigation des deux rivages mentionnés, comme il est connu, n'est pas considérable. Par ces considerations le Gouverneur Militaire Géneral est d'avis, la permission de l'exportation, de la farine, de l'avoine, et du gruau, doit dependre du report du gouvernement local sur le pied actuel, mais l'exportation des autres espèces de blé pourra être permise d'après les certificats des courtiers.

Le Comité de MM. les Ministres, après avoir examiné les circonstances exposeés dans la représentation de M. le Ministre des Finances, et les remarques faites de la part du Gouverneur Militaire Général, trouve—

1°. Que l'exportation due blé à l'étranger est permise d'après le tarif existant dans tous les ports Russes;

2°. Que le commerce libre des blés doit être favorisé au possible, pour le bien être de l'état; et,

3°. Que l'ordonnance qui préscrit de demander la permission préalable du Gouverneur Militaire Général de cette capitale pour l'exportation du blé du port de St. Petersbourg, a pour but que la capitale ne puisse souffrir de disette dans son approvisionnement par des exportations trop considérables de blés à l'étranger destinés à la consomption.

Où en prenant en considération ces deux buts, c'est à dire, la favorisation du commerce de blé, et la certitude de l'approvisionnement de la capitale, le Comité est d'avis, d'annoncer aux négocians trafiquant au port de St. Petersbourg, que l'exportation du blé de ce port, d'apreès les ordonnances existantes, est parfaitement libre; qu'ils peuvent avec assurance faire leurs achats dans les Gouvernemens intérieurs, à l'exception des provisions qui sont expressément destinés pour l'approvisionnement de la capitale, et qui hivernent entre Rybinsk et St. Petersbourg; et qu'ils peuvent les quantités de blé achetées, lors de leur arrivée ici, exporter à l'étranger à l'ouverture des navigations futures, sans demander de permission spécielle du Gouverneur Militaire Général; mais lorsqu'en suite de quelques circonstances extraordinaires il sera trouvé nécessaire, pour assurer l'approvisionnement de cette capitale, de défendre l'exportation du blé de ce port, le Gouverneur Militaire Général de St. Petersbourg en avertira les negocians de cette capitale de bonne heure, et nommément au mois d'Octobre de chaque année; et cette résolution du Comité sera soumis à la sanction suprême.

Dans la séance du 18 Decembre, le Comité a été informé, que sa Majesté l'Empereur a daigné confirmer la resolution du Comité.

Le Comité a résolu, d'en faire communication au Ministre des Finances, et au Gouverneur Militaire Général de St. Petersburg, par des extraits pour qu'ils en ordonnent l'execution.

L'original est signé,—Le Dirigeant des Affaires du Comité Geshelinsky.

La copie est vidimée—Pour copie conforme, Druitry Cicikow, Directeur du Département du Commerce Extérieur.

Oukaze de Sa Majesté Imperiale, Autocrateur de toutes les Russies, du Sénat dirigeant.

Par Oukaze de sa Majesté Imperiale, le Sénat dirigeant, après avoir entendu lecture—

Primo, Du rapport de Mr le Ministre des Finances, lequel, en y annexant la copie de l'extrait du Journal de Comité de MM. les Ministres, très gracieusement confirmé le 18 Dècembre, au sujet de l'exportation libre du blé du port de St Petersbourg, prie de la faire publier; et,

Secundo, De la copie de l'extrait des Journaux du Comité de MM. les Ministres du 7 et 18 Decembre 1826, annexé à ce rapport:

A ordonné de faire imprimer, dans la typographie du Sénat, le nombre nécessaire d'exemplaires, et de les envoyer pour la connaissance publique avec les oukazes, à tous les régences des gouvernemens et provinces, à la chancellerie militaire du corps des Cosaques du Don, et aux Chefs des villes; de meme à tous les tribunaux, à MM. les ministres, aux gouverneurs militaires généraux, aux gouverneurs militaires faisant les fonctions de gouverneurs civils, aux gouverneurs généraux, et à l'Hetman militaire du corps des Cosaques du Don; le saint synode dirigeant, tous les départemens du sénat dirigeant, et à leurs assemblés générales, des exemplaires seront envoyés avec des communications.

En consequence de quoi, exemplaires sont ci joints, ce 6 Janvier 1827.

1r Department.—Concernant l'exportation libre au blé du port de St. Petersbourg.

N° 9.

The Right Honourable Frederick Lamb to Mr. Secretary Canning.

SIR, Madrid, 19th February 1827.

IN compliance with the instructions conveyed in your circular despatch of the 15th December 1826, I have the honour to enclose the most accurate statement which I have been able to procure of the state of the legislation in Spain, relative to the export and import of grain during the last fifty years. I enclose likewise a table, showing more clearly the variations which have taken place in the regulations affecting importation and exportation, than can be done on reading over the extracts from royal decrees contained in this statement; and also a few observations upon the subject, which may perhaps be found of use.

I regret that the information contained in these papers is not more complete, but it is the best I have been able to procure.

Mr. Salmon, in reply to my application, has promised to furnish me with information upon the subject, but it has not yet been received.

I have, &c.

The Right Hon. George Canning, &c. &c. &c. *F. Lamb.*

First Enclosure in N° 9.

(Translation.)

Extracts or Notes from Royal Orders and Resolutions respecting the Trade in Corn, from 1769 to the present Year.

Years.

1769. Royal order of July 30th, prohibiting the export of grain and flour, in consequence of the war with England, which had been been allowed in 1765.

1775. Royal order of April 10th, permitting the importation of foreign grain and flour under a duty of 1 real and 26 maravedis the quintal of wheat, and 30 maravedis the quintal of barley and maize, and 5 reals and 10 maravedis the quintal of flour.

1777. Royal

1777. Royal order (or cedula) of June 10th, ordering an inquiry to be made respecting the state of the present harvest, and continuing the prohibition against exportation.

1780. Royal resolution of May 22d, ordering that flour carried from Biscay and Guipuscoa to the privileged ports for export to America, shall pay the export duty to those dominions, and the 120 maravedis import duty paid by foreign corn imported for flour for America.

1783. Royal order of Feb. 22d, revoking the prohibition against the exportation of grain and flour, provided that the price shall not in three following markets in the villages of Cantabria and the mountains exceed 32 reals the fanega, in the Asturias, Galicia, Andalucia, and Valencia, 35 reals, and in the villages along the land frontier 22 reals the fanega.

1787. Royal order of May 4th, allowing grain to be conveyed in foreign vessels from one port of the Peninsula to another, on payment of 1 real the fanega of wheat, and 17 maravedis that of barley.

1787. Royal order of Sept. 18th, renewing the prohibition to export grain, on account of the shortness of the harvest.

1788. Royal order of Feb. 10th, allowing the exportation of foreign wheat and flour, provided the same be not wanted for the country.

1788. Royal orders of May 31st and Sept. 9th, exempting corn of Buenos Ayres brought in Spanish ships, and for the account of Spaniards, from all duty, either of export from America or import with Spain, and allowing it to be transhipped in the ports.

1789. Royal order of Feb. 17th, permitting the coasting trade from port to port in the Peninsula in grains and seeds proper for cattle and birds.

1789. Royal order of July 22d, renewing the prohibition to export grain and flour, and confirming that of Sept. 18th, 1787, in consequence of the scarcity.

1790. Royal order of August 7th, renewing and confirming the same prohibition.

1791. Royal order of Jan. 27th, granting a bounty to the exporter of Spanish flour, to be paid out of the import duties on foreign flour.

1793. Royal order of March 5th, relieving Foreign grain (on account of peculiar circumstances) from the payment on importation of the general and provincial duties.

1793. Royal order of March 20th, imposing a duty of 40 reals per barrel on foreign flour exported to the Indies.

1793. Royal order of October 27th, reducing the duty of 5 reals 10 maravedis laid on foreign flour to one third of that amount, during the continuance of the present circumstances. See above, R. O. of April 10th, 1775.

1796. Royal order of December 7th, granting to the five corporations of Madrid the privilege of importing grain from Morocco for eight years, in consequence of the war with England.

1797. Royal declaration of July 7th, permitting the coasting trade in corn to be carried on under a foreign flag during the war with Engla

1797. Royal order of September 14th, prohibiting for the present, and until new measures have been adopted, the exportation of flour and grain by the frontiers and ports of the kingdom.

1797. Royal order of September 22d, renewing and confirming the above prohibition.

1797. Royal order of October 16th, continuing the prohibition to export, and allowing foreign grain to be carried coastwise under a foreign flag, on payment of one real the fanega of wheat, and 17 maravedis that of barley.

1798. Royal order of July 22d, confirming the preceding royal orders respecting the export trade, and the other provisional measures in those of September 22d and October 16th, 1797.

1799. Royal order of August 12th, confirming the preceding royal orders prohibiting the exportation of flour and grain, as well as the regulation respecting wheat from Buenos Ayres, made in the decrees of May 31st and September 9th, 1788.

1800. Royal resolution of February 16th, settling the import duty on foreign flour at 5 reals 10 maravedis the quintal, and continuing that upon grain; that is to say, 1 real 26 maravedis the quintal of wheat, and 30 maravedis the quintal of barley and maize.

1800. Royal order of March 20th, extending the privilege granted to the Madrid companies to ten years.

1800. Royal order of May 22d, prohibiting anew the exportation of grain; and royal resolution, ordering that flour carried from Biscay shall pay the export duty and 120 maravedis besides.—See May 22d, 1780.

1802. Royal order of March 27th, continuing the above-mentioned prohibition, and confirming the explanations above cited respecting importation and licences.

1803. Royal order of May 4th, continuing the permission to carry grain coastwise during the present war, in conformity with the declaration of July 7th, 1797. Foreign flour to pay only one third of its duty, according to the royal order of October 27th, 1793.

1803. Royal order of August 18th, exempting foreign grain and vegetables from all royal and municipal duties, those of consulado and others, until July 1804.

1803. Royal order of September 6th, continuing the prohibition to export, but not from port to port; forbidding the free exportation by land, except by licence; corn conveyed coastwise in foreign bottoms to pay the duty, 1 real the quintal of wheat, and 17 maravedis that of barley.

1803. Royal order of December 7th, exempting foreign flour from all duty on importation, even that of the third part before imposed; the said flour to pay, on exportation to India, a duty of 5 reals 10 maravedis the quintal, valued at 60 reals.

1803. Royal order of December 29th, recommending to merchants the supply of grain for the subsistence of the country.

1804. Royal order of April 17th, extending the permission to import foreign grain, duty-free, to June 1805.

1804. Royal order of August 7th, further exempting foreign grain from the payment of the duties of "internacion."

1804. Royal declaration of October 26th, exempting foreign flour from the payment of any duty until June 1805, even that of "alcabala."

1805. Royal order of October 12th, laying a duty of 12 reals and 16 maravedis the fanega on wheat and seeds imported into the kingdom.

1806. Royal order of May 26th, confirming the prohibition to export grain and flour.

1807. Royal order of April 19th, allowing the importation of foreign grain and flour, duty-free, by the chest of consolidation; this privilege being granted only for the supply of provisions.

1807. Royal order of August 21st, renewing the prohibition to export grain and flour; that from Biscay to pay the export duties and 120 maravedis the quintal, according to the resolution of May 22, 1800. Foreign grain and seeds imported through the kingdom of Seville, from the Algeciras to Ayamonte, to pay 34 reals the arroba of French beans, 34 that of 17 maravedis the arroba of rice, and the fanega of barley and wheat, and 51 reals the quintal of flour.

1807. Royal order of September 23d, confirming the preceding one of August 21st.

1808. Royal order of April 19th, exempting foreign grain and flour from any import duty excepting that of "subvencion," granted only to the royal chest of consolidation.

1808. Royal order of August 6th, confirming the above.

1814. Royal order of September 9th, imposing a duty of 30 reals on every barrel of foreign flour containing 7½ arrobas.

1816. Royal order of January 27th, imposing a duty of 6 reals the fanega on foreign corn imported by Cadiz, and 18 reals the barrel of flour.

1816. Royal order of January 31st, reducing the duty on maize from 30 reals to 12.

1816. Royal order of May 29th, imposing a duty of 6 per cent ad valorem on national productions (including corn) transported from port to port under a foreign flag, and which are exempted from duty.

1817. Royal decree of November 11th, ordering that if any master of a vessel shall have on board any Spanish wheat, without a certificate from the custom-house proving that he has paid 4 reals the fanega export duty, the consuls shall exact of him 12 reals the fanega.

1818. Royal order of September 27th, laying a duty of 204 maravedis the quintal on foreign grain imported in foreign bottoms, and 153 maravedis on that imported under the national flag.

1818. Royal order of October 21st. The above not to extend to foreign flour, which is to pay the same duty as before.

1818. Royal order of November 30th, putting in force that of September 27th, with respect to foreign grain, and ordering that it shall pay moreover the provincial duties levied in the several ports.

1819. Royal order of September 5th, allowing the exportation of flour to America free from all duty.

1819. Royal order of September 12th, ordering that the duties on foreign grain shall be paid by the quintal, and not by the fanega, according to the royal orders of June 14th and September 9th, 1818.

1819. Royal order of December 24th, allowing the free exportation of grain, and imposing a duty of 18 reals on that imported in Spanish ships, and 20 reals on that imported in foreign vessels.

1820. Royal order of March 7th, marking the duty to be paid on foreign grain and seed.

1823. Royal order of September 9th, ordering that foreign grain and seed imported in foreign ships shall pay the duty specified in the decree of March 7th, 1820.

1823. Royal decree of November 20th, confirming the preceding one in all its parts.

1823. Royal decree of December 11th, ordering that foreign grain shall pay on importation the duty of "subvencion," in addition to that levied by the decree of March 7th, 1820.

1824. Royal order of February 17th, prohibiting the importation of grain, except in the Canary and Balearick Islands.

1824. Royal decree of March 1st, allowing the free re-exportation of foreign grain, which may have been imported in exchange for national manufactures.

1824. Royal decree of June 23d, permitting the carrying of grain in foreign bottoms, from the present date to the last day of October, on payment of 2 per cent "habilitacion."

1824. Royal order of October 2d, exempting rice from the prohibition of February 17th.

1824. Royal order of December 3d, laying an import duty of 212 maravedis the arroba on foreign rice.

1824. Royal decree of December 12th, allowing the exportation of all the natural productions of the country (fruits.)

1825. Royal decree of July 10th, extending for the present the privileges on the free exportation of grain by the ports of Galicia as far as Guipuscoa.

Note.—The royal order of March 7th 1820, above quoted, allows the free exportation of grain and seeds from the kingdom, but imposes an import duty of 65 reals per barrel of flour of 194 lbs., and 26 reals on every quintal of grain and seed imported in foreign bottoms, and 18 reals if in Spanish ships.

1825. Royal order of the 2d April, allowing the importation of foreign grain by Malaga, Mohil, and other ports of Andalusia, in the Mediterranean, on payment of 10 reals the fanega.

1825. Royal order of the 11th May, explaining the above, the 10 reals to be in full of all duties, except those of gates.

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TABLE.

YEARS.	ROYAL ORDERS.
	EXPORTATION.
1765	Exportation allowed.
1766	——
1767	——
1768	——
1769	Prohibited except to the American colonies and Portugal.
1770	——
1771	——
1772	——
1773	——
1774	——
1775	——
1776	——
1777	Prohibition renewed.
1778	——
1779	——
1780	Duty laid on corn and flour carried coastwise for exportation to America.
1781	——
1782	——
1783	Exportation allowed under certain limitations.
1784	——
1785	——
1786	——
1787	Prohibition renewed on account of the bad harvest.
1788	Foreign grain allowed to be re-exported, if not wanted.
1789	Prohibition renewed on account of the scarcity.
1790	Renewed.
1791	——
1792	——
1793	——
1794	——
1795	——
1796	——
1797	The exportation of grain and flour prohibited both by sea and land.
1798	Renewed.
1799	——
1800	Renewed.
1801	——
&c. till 1819	——
1819	The duty on flour exported to America taken off, and grain allowed to be exported subsequently.
1820	Renewed, and flour also.
1821	——
1822	——
1823	——
1824	All productions the growth of the soil (frutos) allowed to be exported.
1825	Renewed and extended.
	IMPORTATION.
1775 &c. till the Year 1788	The importation of grain and flour allowed at a duty of 1 rvn. 26 ms. the quintal of wheat, 30 ms. the quintal of barley and maize, and 5 rvn. 10 ms. the quintal of flour.
& &c.	Wheat from Buenos Ayres admitted duty-free.
1793	Foreign grain exempted from the provincial and general duties. The duty on flour diminished to one third of that laid on in 1775.

YEARS.	ROYAL ORDERS.
1794	——
1795	——
1796	Privilege granted to the corporations of Madrid, to bring corn from Morocco for eight years.
1797	——
1798	——
1799	——
1800	The duties of 1775 on flour and grain re-established. The privilege to the corporations extended to 10 years.
1801	——
1802	——
1803	The duty on flour reduced to one third. Grain and vegetables admitted duty-free for one year.
18 December	Flour admitted duty-free.
29 - D°	Circular to the merchants, recommending importation on account of the scarcity.
1804	The permission to import foreign grain and flour duty-free extended to June 1805.
7 August	The duty called *Internacion* also taken off.
26 October	The duties on flour also reduced.
1805	A duty of 12 rvn. 16 ms. the fanega laid upon wheat and seeds.
1806	——
1807	A privilege to import grain and flour granted to the chest of consolidation.
1808	
&c. to	Grain and flour admitted free of all duties, except that of subvencion.
1814	A duty of 30 rvn. per barrel laid on flour.
1815	——
1816	Wheat imported at Cadiz to pay 6 rvn. the fanega; flour, 18 rials per barrel. The duty on maize reduced from 30 rvn. to 12.
1818	Foreign grain to pay 204 ms. (6 rvn.) the quintal when imported in foreign vessels, and 153 ms. (4 r. 17 ms.) when imported in Spanish vessels.
21 October	Flour exempted from the operation of the preceding order, and to pay only as before.
30 November	Foreign grain to pay, moreover, the port duties; an explanatory order.
1819	A duty of 18 rvn. laid on foreign corn imported in Spanish vessels, and 20 on that imported in foreign.
1820	Royal order of 7th March, which imposes a duty of 65 rvn. on every barrel of flour of 194 lbs. 26 rvn. the quintal on grain and seed imported under a foreign flag, and 20 rvn. the quintal on that imported under a Spanish flag.
1823	Confirmed.
11 December	Adding, besides, the duty of subvencion.
1824	Importation prohibited, except to the Canary and Balearick Islands.
2 October	Rice excepted, to pay 212 ms. the arroba.
1825	Grain allowed to be imported into Andalusia, for a time, at 10 rvn. the fanega, on account of the scarcity.

N. B.—The fanega contains about one Winchester bushel and three fifths. The rvn. is about $2\frac{1}{2}d.$—$3\frac{2}{5}$ths maravedis, of which 34 make a real, are equal to about one farthing.

Third Enclosure in N° 9.

OBSERVATIONS ON THE ANNEXED EXTRACTS.

Exportation.

It appears from the annexed extracts from royal orders and resolutions, that the exportation of corn and flour from Spain was allowed in 1765, and continued to be so until 1769, when it was prohibited, except to the American colonies, and by land to Portugal; and such continued to be the law until 1783, when the exportation was allowed under certain limitations.

In 1787 the prohibition was renewed (on account of the shortness of the harvest), although the following year this regulation was somewhat relaxed by the permission to re-export foreign grain, if not wanted for home consumption.

In 1789 the prohibition was again renewed, on account of the scarcity, and continued in force until 1797, when it was again renewed both by sea and land; and such continued to be the state of the law until 1819; in that year the duty

payable on flour carried to America was taken off, and subsequently grain allowed to be exported.

In 1820 grain and flour both were allowed to be exported, and in 1823 all productions (frutos) the growth of the soil. This privilege was further extended in 1825, and has not since been revoked.

Importation.

With respect to the importation of flour and grain, this appears to have been permitted under various duties from the year 1775 until 1824, when it was entirely prohibited, and still continues to be so. The duties in 1775 were, on wheat, 1 rl. 26 mrs.; barley and maize, 30 mrs.; and flour, 5 rl. 10 mrs. the quintal.

From 1793 to 1800 these duties were much diminished, but again established in that year.

In 1803 the duties were again taken off, on account of the scarcity; and this exemption continued until 1805, when a duty of 12 rl. 16 mrs. the fanega was imposed on wheat.

In 1803, however, it was again removed until 1814, when 30 rials per barrel were imposed on flour.

In 1818 a duty of 6 rials the quintal was imposed upon corn imported in foreign bottoms, and 4 rl. 17 mrs. on that imported in Spanish. But this duty was shortly removed.

In 1819 18 rials the quintal was laid upon corn imported in Spanish ships, and 20 in foreign.

In 1820 a duty of 65 rials the barrel was laid on flour, 26 per quintal on grain and seeds imported under a foreign flag, and 20 on those imported in Spanish vessels.

This was confirmed in 1823, and in 1824 the importation was prohibited, rice excepted, which is admitted at a duty of 212 mrs. the arroba.

Upon the whole it may be observed, that from the year 1769 until the year 1824 the importation of corn into Spain was generally allowed, and that from 1775 until the same year exportation was prohibited.

When, however, the complicated relations of Spain with America during the greater part of the above period are taken into consideration; her extended frontier towards Portugal, (a country to which, even were exportation forbidden, considerable quantities might always go by smuggling); the various systems of legislation, privileges, &c. which are established in different provinces; the facility in this country of obtaining licences, and even sometimes legislative enactments, to serve private purposes, or to raise temporary supplies of money for the government; the difference of climate; and above all, the difficulties of transport from province to province, whence it not unfrequently results that while abundance is enjoyed in one part of the kingdom, the severest scarcity is felt in another; it must be admitted that it is extremely difficult to arrive at any positive knowledge of what the system of legislation in Spain, with respect to grain, has hitherto been.

With a tolerably good harvest, it is stated that an ample supply of corn is grown for the consumption of the country; but as from various causes, such, for instance, as the poverty of the farmers and the supposed quality of the grain (which is believed not to admit of being kept), there is never any stock in hand, a short harvest immediately produces a scarcity, and a necessity for having again recourse to foreign countries to make up the deficiency.

FURTHER PAPERS

Relative to Regulations existing in Foreign Countries, in respect to the Export and Import of Grain, during the last Fifty Years.

Board of Trade,
Whitehall, 22d March 1827. } *Thomas Lack.*

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CORN.

RETURNS RELATIVE TO THE PRICES WHICH CORN MUST HAVE REACHED,

Before it can be imported into *France*, *Flanders*, *Spain* and *Portugal*;

AND TO THE DUTIES PAYABLE ON SUCH IMPORTATION:

VIZ.

N° 1.—Circular to Consuls in France, The Netherlands, Spain and Portugal.

N° 2.—Mr. Consul-General Morier to Mr. Secretary Canning:—(Two Enclosures.)

N° 3.—Mr. Consul Marshall to John Bidwell, Esq. (Three Enclosures.)

N° 4.—Mr. Consul Hamilton to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 5.—Mr. Consul Gordon to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 6.—Mr. Consul Ogilby to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 7.—Mr. Consul Perrier to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 8.—Consul Sir Richard Clayton to John Bidwell, Esq.

N° 9.—Mr. Consul Close to John Bidwell, Esq.

N° 10.—Mr. Consul Scott to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 11.—Mr. Consul Harvey to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 12.—Mr. Consul Turnbull to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 13.—Mr. Consul Larpent to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

N° 14.—Mr. Consul Heyland to John Bidwell, Esq. (One Enclosure.)

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—N° 1.—

CIRCULAR

To Consuls in France, The Netherlands, Spain, and Portugal.

Foreign Office, February 28th, 1827.

SIR,

THE KING having been graciously pleased to accede to the prayer of an humble address from The House of Commons,—" That His Majesty would " be graciously pleased to direct the British Consuls in France, Flanders, Spain, " and Portugal, to state the Prices in British Money which the various species " of Corn, namely, Wheat, Barley, and Oats, must have reached in those several " countries respectively per quarter, before the same can by law be imported " into those several countries from other parts of the world, specifying the duties, " if any, which may be payable on such importation;"—I am directed by Mr. Secretary Canning to request, that you will use your best endeavours to collect the information required; and that you will transmit *duplicate* copies of the same to this Department, in order that it may be laid before The House of Commons.

A Copy of the Address of The House of Commons upon this subject, is annexed for your information.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient humble servant,

(signed) JOHN BIDWELL.

His Majesty's Consul.

—N° 2.—

Mr. Consul General Morier to Mr. Secretary Canning.

British Consulate General, Paris, March 19th, 1827.

SIR,

IN obedience to your Instructions, conveyed to me by Mr. John Bidwell's Letter, dated February 28th, directing me, in pursuance of a resolution of The House of Commons, to furnish information with respect to the Law regulating the Importation of Foreign Grain into France, and the Duty payable thereon;— I have the honour to transmit herewith two papers; namely,

1st.—A Memorandum, explanatory of the said Law, which has been already transmitted by me to the Foreign Department; and,

2ndly.—An Extract from the "Tarif des Douanes de France," published by authority of the Minister of France, showing the Prices in British Money which Wheat, Oats, and Barley must have reached in France, per quarter, before the same can by law be imported from other parts of the world; and specifying the Duties payable on such importation.

At the same time it is essential to point out the rectification of the relative proportion of the Winchester quarter and the French hectolitre, adopted in the latter document, to which I have been led by the recent discovery of an error with respect to that proportion, originating with the authority hitherto followed, and which I am now sorry to find pervades all the Corn Returns hitherto transmitted by me. It will be my duty to send the same Returns, as soon as possible, properly corrected.

The present ground of calculation is adopted upon the authority of Dr. Kelly's Tables, and has been applied to the old Winchester quarter, in preference to the new Imperial quarter; because I understand that the former still continues to be used in the regulation of the Averages in the Corn Market in England.

I have &c.

(signed) *D. R. Morier.*

The Right Honourable
George Canning,
&c. &c. &c.

First Enclosure in N° 2.

MEMORANDUM explanatory of the Law regulating the CORN TRADE in France.

ON reference to the Laws of July 16th, 1819, and July 4th, 1821, it will be seen that in respect to the Corn Trade, the frontier departments of France, both maritime and continental, are divided into Four Classes; into none of which is the Importation of Foreign Grain and Flour permitted, so long as the prices of Native Wheat remain below a certain rate, which is differently fixed for each class respectively.

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The Exportation of Grain, Flour, and leguminous Plants, from the departments of each class respectively, is in like manner prohibited whenever the home prices within that class exceed the limits of importation by two francs.

The Average Prices in each class respectively, are ascertained from month to month by a comparison of the current market prices of the regulating markets of each class; the classes being for this purpose divided into sections.

A monthly statement thereof, published according to law by the Minister of the Interior, regulates the operations of the corn market with respect to importation or exportation for the succeeding month.

The Duties on the importation of Foreign Grain vary inversely with the variation of the prices which may occur between the importing and exporting limits; the particulars whereof are to be seen in the annexed Extract from the French Table of Duties of Customs.

The Division into classes above-mentioned, is as follows; namely,

Class 1.—Consisting of one section, contains the departments of
Pyrennées Orientales, Aude, Herault, Gard, Bouches du Rhone, Var et Corse.

The Regulating Markets are those of Toulouse, Marseilles, Fleurance, and Gray.

Class 2.—Subdivided into two Sections, viz.

Section 1.—Gironde, Landes, Basses Pyrennées, Hautes Pyrennées, Ariege, et Haute Garonne.

The Regulating Markets are Marans, Bordeaux, and Toulouse.

Section 2.—Basses Alpes, Hautes Alpes, Iserè, Ain, Jura, Doubs.

The Regulating Markets are Gray, St. Laurent près Mâçon, Le Grand Lemps.

Class 3.—Subdivided into three Sections; viz.

Section 1.—Haut Rhin et Bas Rhin.

The Regulating Markets are Mulhausen, Strasbourg.

Section 2.—Nord, Pas-de-Calais, Somme, Seine Inferieure, Eure et Calvados.

Section 3.—Loire Inferieure, Vendée, et Charente Inferieure.

The Regulating Markets are Saumur, Nantes, Marans.

Class 4.—Subdivided into two Sections; viz.

Section 1.—Moselle, Meuse, Ardennes, et Aisne.

The Regulating Markets are Metz, Verdun, Charleville, Soissons.

Section 2.—Manche, Ille et Vilaine, Côtes du Nord, Finisterre, et Morbihan.

The Regulating Markets are St. Lô, Paimpol, Quimper, Hennebon, Nantes.

Second Enclosure in N° 2.

EXTRACT from the Tarif des Douanes de France, or Table of French Duties of Customs; showing the Price in British Money which WHEAT, OATS and BARLEY, must have reached in France, per Quarter, before the same can by law be imported into the Ports of the Four Classes described in the annexed Memorandum, from other Parts of the World, and specifying the Duties payable on such Importation; the Winchester Quarter (containing 17,203 Cubic Inches, English) being considered equal to French Hectolitres $2\frac{810}{1000}$, and the £. sterling reckoned at 25*f.* 21*c.* at the Par of Gold by Mint Regulations).

		WHEN THE PRICE PER QUARTER is in the respective Classes				THE IMPORT DUTY PER QUARTER,		
						By French Vessel.		By Foreign Vessels and by Land.
		1.	2.	3.	4.	From the Place of Production.	From Places not of Production.	
		s. *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*	*s.* *d.*
WHEAT	above	58 1 $\frac{5}{4}$	53 8	49 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	44 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	– 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$
	at	58 1 $\frac{3}{4}$	53 8	49 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	44 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 7
	at	55 11	51 5 $\frac{1}{4}$	46 11	42 5	4 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 – $\frac{1}{2}$	10 9
	at	53 8	49 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	44 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	40 1 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 – $\frac{1}{2}$	9 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 9
	under	53 8	49 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	44 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	40 1 $\frac{3}{4}$	- - -	prohibited.	
OATS	above	24 7 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 4 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 4 $\frac{1}{4}$	20 – $\frac{1}{2}$	– 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$
	at	24 7 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 4 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 4 $\frac{1}{4}$	20 – $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 7
	at	22 4 $\frac{1}{4}$	20 – $\frac{1}{2}$	20 – $\frac{1}{2}$	17 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 – $\frac{1}{2}$	10 9
	at	20 – $\frac{1}{2}$	17 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 – $\frac{1}{2}$	9 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 9
	under	20 – $\frac{1}{2}$	17 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	- - -	prohibited.	—
BARLEY subject to no limitation of Price - - - - - -						– 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$

—N° 3.—

Mr. Consul Marshall to John Bidwell, Esquire.

Calais, 14 March 1827.

SIR,

IN reference to your letter of 28th ultimo, I have the honour to transmit to you for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, a Return of the prices which Wheat, Rye, and Oats must have reached, before their importation into France can be allowed by law; and of the progressive duties payable thereon diminishing as the price of Grain increases; the whole calculated in English money at the par of exchange.

From these tables it will be seen that the maritime and frontier departments of France are classed in four divisions, and that the lowest price at which Wheat can be imported into any part of France, (the department of the 4th division) is fixed by law at 2*l.* 2*s.* per Winchester quarter, it then pays a duty of 8*s.* 3*d.*; 10*s.* 11*d.*; or 13*s.* 11*d.*; according as it is imported from the country of its produce, or in French or foreign vessels, or by land; which duty progressively diminishes till the price of wheat exceeds 2*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* per quarter, when it is admitted at the lowest duty.

In the departments of the 1st division, in which grain must have reached a higher price than in the other divisions, before it is allowed to be imported, the price of Wheat is fixed at 2*l.* 10*s.* the Winchester quarter; the duties progressively diminishing until the price exceeds 3*l.* 0*s.* 8*d.* when it pays the lowest scale of duty.

The district of the Consulate of Calais is included in the 3d division.

An addition of 1/10th part of the duty fixed by the tariff, is paid on all articles imported into France, and I have included this addition in the calculation, so that the duties set down in the tables comprise the total amount levied on the importation of Grain into France. Barley can be imported without reference to price, as mentioned in the note to the Tables.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

SAM. G. MARSHALL.

John Bidwell, Esq.

&c. &c. &c.

First Enclosure in N° 3.

TABLE showing the Departments of France into which GRAIN can be imported; with their Regulating Markets.

DIVISIONS.	SECTIONS.	DEPARTMENTS.	REGULATING MARKETS.
1st Division	single	Pyrenées Orientales, Aude, Herault, Garde, Bouches-du-Rhone, Var et Corse	Toulouse, Marseilles, Fleurance, Gray.
2d Division	1st Section	Gironde, Landes, Basses Pyrenées, Ariege, et Haute Garonne	Marans, Bourdeaux, Toulouse.
	2d Section	Basses-Alpes, Hautes-Alpes, Isères, Ain, Jura et Doubs	Gray, St. Laurent près Maçon, Le Grand-Lemps.
3d Division	1st Section	Haut Rhin et Bas Rhin	Mulhausen, Strasbourg.
	2d Section	Nord, Pas-de-Calais, Somme, Seine-Inferieure, Eure et Calvados	Bergues, Arras, Royes, Soissons, Paris, Rouen.
	3d Section	Loire-Inferieure, Vendée, et Charente-Inferieure	Saumur, Nantes, Marans.
4th Division	1st Section	Moselle, Meuse, Ardennes, et Aisne	Metz, Verdun, Charleville, Soissons.
	2d Section	Manche, Ille-et-Vilaine, Côtes-du-Nord, Finisterre et Morbihan	Saint-Lô, Paimpol, Quimper, Hennebon, et Nantes.

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Second Enclosure in N° 3.

TABLE of PRICES to which WHEAT and WHEAT FLOUR must have reached before their Importation into France can be allowed by Law, and of the progressive Duties payable thereon as the Prices rise.

ARTICLES.	Importation Prices in the different Divisions of France.				Measure or Weight.	Duties of Entry, including 1/10.		
						In French Vessels,		In Foreign Vessels, and by Land.
	1st Division.	2d Division.	3d Division.	4th Division.		Coming from the Country of its Production.	From Countries of which it is not the Production.	
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
WHEAT - - - above	3 – 8	2 16 –	2 11 4	2 6 8	per Winchester qr.	– – 7 ¾	– 3 2 ½	– 3 2 ½
D° - - - - at	3 – 8	2 16 –	2 11 4	2 6 8	d° - -	– 3 2 ½	– 5 9 ¼	– 9 –
D° - - - - at	2 18 4	2 13 9	2 9 –	2 4 3	- - d° - -	– 5 9 ¼	– 3 3	– 11 5 ¼
D° - - - - at	2 16 –	2 11 4	2 6 8	2 2 –	- - d° - -	– 8 3	– 10 11	– 13 11
D° - - - under	2 16 –	2 11 4	2 6 8	2 2 –	- - d° - -	- - - - -	prohibited.	
WHEAT FLOUR - above	1 1 8	1 – –	– 18 4	– 16 8	per 100 Kilogrammes, or about 2 cwt. English.	– – 5 ½	– 2 3 ½	– 2 3 ½
D° - - - - at	1 1 8	1 – –	– 18 4	– 16 8		– 3 2 ½	– 5 6 ½	– 7 4
D° - - - - at	1 – 10	– 19 2	– 17 6	– 15 10		– 5 11	– 7 9 ½	– 10 1
D° - - - - at	1 – –	– 18 4	– 16 8	– 15 –		– 8 8 ½	– 10 6 ½	– 12 10
D° - - - under	1 – –	– 18 4	– 16 8	– 15 –		- - - - -	prohibited.	

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Second Enclosure in N° 3—*continued.*

TABLE of PRICES to which RYE and RYE FLOUR must have reached before their Importation into France can be allowed by Law, and of the progressive Duties payable thereon as the Prices rise.

ARTICLES.	Importation Prices in the different Divisions of France.				Measure or Weight.	Duties of Entry, including 1/10.		
						In French Vessels,		In Foreign Vessels, and by Land.
	1st Division.	2d Division.	3d Division.	4th Division.		Coming from the Country of its Production.	From Countries of which it is not the Production.	
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
RYE - - - above	2 4 3	1 19 8	1 15 –	1 10 4	per Winchester qr.	– – 7 ¾	– 3 2 ½	– 3 2 ½
D° - - - - at	2 4 3	1 19 8	1 15 –	1 10 4	- - d° - -	– 3 2 ½	– 5 9 ¼	– 9 –
D° - - - - at	2 2 –	1 17 4	1 12 8	1 8 –	- - d° - -	– 5 9 ¼	– 8 3	– 11 5 ¼
D° - - - - at	1 19 8	1 15 –	1 10 4	1 5 8	- - d° - -	– 8 3	– 10 11	– 13 11
D° - - - - at	1 17 4	1 12 8	1 8 –	1 3 4	- - d° - -	– 10 11	– 13 5 ½	– 16 8
D° - - - - under	1 17 4	1 12 8	1 8 –	1 3 4	- - d° - -	- - - - -	prohibited.	
RYE FLOUR - - above	– 15 10	– 14 2	– 12 6	– 10 10	per 100 Kilogrammes, or about 2 cwt. English.	– – 5 ½	– 2 3 ½	– 2 3 ½
D° - - - - at	– 15 10	– 14 2	– 12 6	– 10 10		– 3 2 ½	– 5 6 ½	– 7 4
D° - - - - at	– 15 –	– 13 4	– 11 10	– 10 –		– 5 11	– 7 9 ½	– 10 1
D° - - - - at	– 14 2	– 12 6	– 10 10	– 9 2		– 8 8 ½	– 10 6 ½	– 12 10
D° - - - - at	– 13 4	– 11 10	– 10 10	– 8 4		– 11 5 ½	– 13 3 ½	– 15 7
D° - - - under	– 13 4	– 11 10	– 10 –	– 8 4		- - - - -	prohibited.	

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Third Enclosure in N° 3.

TABLE of PRICES to which OATS and OAT FLOUR must have reached before their Importation into France can be allowed by Law, and of the progressive Duties payable thereon, as the Prices rise.

ARTICLES.	IMPORTATION PRICES in the DIFFERENT DIVISIONS OF FRANCE.				Measure or Weight.	DUTIES OF ENTRY, INCLUDING 1/10		
						IN FRENCH VESSELS		In Foreign Vessels, and by Land.
	1st Division.	2d Division.	3d Division.	4th Division.		Coming from the Country of its Production.	From Countries of which it is not the Production.	
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
OATS - - - - above	1 5 8	1 3 4	1 3 4	1 1 –	per Winchester quar.	– – 7 ¾	– 3 2 ½	– 3 2 ½
D° - - - - at	1 5 8	1 3 4	1 3 4	1 1 –	d° - - -	– 3 2 ½	– 5 9 ¼	– 9 –
D° - - - - at	1 3 9	1 1 –	1 1 –	– 18 8	d° - - -	– 5 9 ½	– 8 3	– 11 5 ¼
D° - - - - at	1 1 –	– 18 8	– 18 8	– 16 4	d° - - -	– 8 3	– 10 11	– 13 11
D° - - - - under	1 1 –	– 18 8	– 18 8	– 16 4	d° - - -	- - -	prohibited	—
OAT FLOUR - - - above	– 9 2	– 8 4	– 8 4	– 7 6	per 100 killogrammes, or about 2 cwt. English.	– – 5 ½	– 2 3 ½	– 2 3 ½
D° - - - - at	– 9 2	– 8 4	– 8 4	– 7 6		– 3 2 ½	– 5 6 ½	– 7 4
D° - - - - at	– 8 4	– 7 6	– 7 6	– 6 8		– 5 11	– 7 9 ½	– 10 1
D° - - - - at	– 7 6	– 6 8	– 6 8	– 5 10		– 8 8 ½	– 10 6 ½	– 12 10
D° - - - - under	– 7 6	– 6 8	– 6 8	– 5 10		- - -	prohibited	—

Note.—BARLEY and other kinds of Grain not mentioned in the preceding Tables, may be imported into France, without reference to the price, at 7 ¼ *d.* per Winchester quarter, from the country of its production; and by land, or coming from the country of which it is not the produce, or in foreign vessels, at 3 *s.* 2 ½ *d.* per Winchester quarter.

Meal or Flour of Grain, not mentioned in the preceding Tables, may be imported at 1 *s.* 3 ½ *d.* per 100 killogrames, or 2 cwt. when coming from the country of its production; and by land, or when coming from a country of which it is not the production, or in foreign vessels, at 2 *s.* 3 ½ *d.* the 100 killogrames, or 2 cwt.

Sam. G. Marshall.

—N° 4.—

Mr. Consul Hamilton to John Bidwell, Esquire.

Boulogne, 22d March 1827.

SIR,

I HAVE to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 28th ult. with its Enclosures, relative to the Prices by which the Importation of Corn into this country is regulated; and have now to transmit to you, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, a Statement of the Prices in French and British Currency, which the various species of Corn, namely, Wheat, Barley and Oats must have reached in this country per hectolitre, which is equal to one-third of a quarter, before the same can by law be imported into this kingdom from other parts of the world; specifying the different duties payable on such importation.

I have stated the Prices and Duties on the hectolitre, computed to a third of a quarter, as the best means of affording the information desired, accompanied by the several notes of reference in French, as furnished me by the head of the customs at this port.

I have, &c.

(signed) *W. Hamilton.*

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 4.

ECHELLE des DROITS.	Le Prix de l'hectolitre étant dans le Classes (72*.) 1re	2e	3e	4e	Unités sur les quelles portent les Droits.	ENTREE. Titres de Perception.	DROITS par Navires Français. Venant des Pays de Production.	Venant d'ailleurs que des Pays de Production.
	Fr.	*Fr.*	*Fr.*	*Fr.*			*Fr. c.*	*Fr. c.*
FROMENT, Grains (70*) — au dessus de	26	24	22	ou 20	l'hectolitre	16 Juill. 1819 / 7 Juin 1820 / 4 Juill. 1821	– 25	1 25
- à -	26	24	22	ou 20	idem	idem	1 25	2 25
- à -	25	23	21	ou 19	idem	idem	2 25	3 25
- à -	24	22	20	ou 18	idem	idem	3 25	4 25
au dessous de	24	22	20	ou 18	-	4 Juill. 1821	- -	prohibés
AVOINE, Grains — au dessus de	11	10	10	ou 9	l'hectolitre	10 Juill. 1822	– 25	1 25
- à -	11	10	10	ou 9	idem	idem	1 25	2 25
- à -	10	9	9	ou 8	idem	idem	2 25	3 25
- à -	9	8	8	ou 7	idem	idem	3 25	4 25
au dessous de	9	8	8	ou 7	-	idem	- -	prohibés
ORGE {autres céréales sans egard aux prix}	a dénommer (73*)				l'hectolitre	{16 Juill 1819 / 7 Juin 1820}	– 25	1 25

SORTS of GRAIN.	CALCULATED IN BRITISH MONEY (a). The Price per l'hectolitre (b), which it must attain before the Import is allowed.				Duty when it is the Growth of the Country.	Duty when it is not the Growth of the Country.
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
Wheat — above -	20 10	19 2½	17 7½	16 –	– 2½	1 –
d° -	20 10	19 2½	17 7½	16 –	1 –	1 10
d° -	20 –	18 5	16 10	15 2½	1 10	2 7½
d° -	19 2½	17 7½	16 –	14 5	2 7½	3 5
under -	prohibited.					
Oats — above -	8 10	8 –	8 –	7 2½	– 2½	1 –
d° -	8 10	8 –	8 –	7 2½	1 –	1 10
d° -	8 –	7 2½	7 2½	6 5	1 10	2 7½
d° -	7 2½	6 5	6 5	5 7½	2 7½	3 5
under -	prohibited.					
Barley or any other Grain - -	- -	- -	- -		– 2½	1 –

*70. Le épeautre et le méteil sont assimilées au froment.

Division des Departemens Frontières en Quatres Classes pour la fixation des Mercuriales

*72. Cette Division est établie ainsi qu'il suit.

CLASSES.	SECTIONS.	DEPARTEMENS.	MARCHES REGULATEURS.
1re	Unique	Pyrénées-Orientales, Aude, Herault, Gard, Bouches-du-Rhône, Var et Corse	Toulouse, Marseille, Fleurance, Gray.
2e	1re	Girondes, Landes, Basses-Pyrénées, Hautes-Pyrénées, Ariege, et Haut-Garonne	Marans, Bordeaux, Toulouse.
	2e	Basses-Alpes, Hautes-Alpes, Isère, Ain, Jura et Doubs	Gray, St. Laurent près Mâçon, Le Grand Lemps.
3e	1re	Haut-Rhin et Bas-Rhin	Mulhausen, Strasbourg.
	2e	Nord, Pas-de-Calais, Somme, Seine-Inférieure, Eure et Calvados	Bergues, Arras, Roye, Soissons, Paris, Rouen.
	3e	Loire-Inférieure, Vendée, et Charante-Inférieure	Saumur, Nantes, Marans.
4e	1re	Moselle, Meuse, Ardennes et Aisne	Metz, Verdun, Charleville, Soissons.
	2e	Manche, Ille-et-Vilaine, Cotes-du-Nord, Finisterre et Morbihan	Saint Lô, Paimpol, Quimper, Hennebon, Nantes.

Le prix moyen des grains est fixé à la fin du mois, pour chaque section, par le ministre de l'interieur dont l'arrêté, inséré au bulletin des lois, sert, pendant le mois de sa publication, à etablir la perception ou la prohibition. (Loi du 2 Décembre 1814; Ordonnance du 18 du même mois, et Lois des 16 Juillet 1819, et 4 Juillet 1821.)

La circulaire, N° 575, donne des explications sur le mode de perception du droit supplémentaire, et celle N° 534, indique les mesures à prendre pour assurer l'exécution prompte et uniforme des Lois des 16 Juillet 1819, et 4 Juillet 1821.

GRAINS À DENOMMER.

*73. Les grains à dénommer sont, la graine de vesce ou jarrosse, l'orge, que l'on appelle aussi, selon les lieux, baillarge, escourgeon, sucrion, et le sarrasin.

Quand la Sortie des Grains farines, &c. ne peut plus avoir lieu.

L'exportation des Grains, farines, pain, biscuit de mer, pomme de terre, et légumes sec, sera suspendue lorsqu'il résultera, des prix moyens à arrêter à la fin de chaque mois par le ministre de l'interieur, que le taux de l'hectolitre des bles-froment indigènes se sera élevé: savoir

A 26 fr. et au-dessus dans les departemens compris en la 1re classe.
A 24 fr. et au-dessus dans ceux compris en la 2e classe.
A 22 fr. et au-dessus dans ceux compris en la 3e classe.
Et à 20 fr. et au-dessus dans ceux compris en la 4e classe.

(Loi du 2 Decembre 1814; Ordonnance du 18 du même mois, et Loi des 16 Juillet 1819 et 4 Juillet 1821.)

(a) 25 francs are calculated to £.1. sterling. (b) 3 hectolitres are computed to one quarter, or eight bushels.

To gain the value or the duty on the quarter, it will be found by multiplying the sum given by three.

W. Hamilton.

—N° 5.—

Mr. Consul Gordon to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, British Consulate, Havre, March 14th, 1827.

I HAD the honour of your Letter of the 28th ultimo yesterday, requesting me to collect information respecting the Prices which Wheat, Barley and Oats must have reached in France per quarter, before the same can be imported; and specifying the duties payable on such importation.

I now enclose a Statement to the above effect.

I have, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *Arch. Gordon.*

&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 5.

IMPORTATION Duties on the principal Sorts of GRAIN in the Department of the Seine Inferieure.

Articles.	When the Price per Hectolitre in the Department, is:	The Duty on the same from the Country of Production, by French Vessels, is:	The Duty from other parts of the World, not being the Country of Production, by French Vessels, is:	By Foreign Vessels, and by Land.	REMARKS.
	fr. cent.	*fr. cent.*	*fr. cent.*	*fr. cent.*	
WHEAT -	above 24 –	– 25	1 25	1 25	
	at 24 –	1 25	2 25	3 50	15 Hectolitres are equal to $5\frac{1}{2}$ quarters.
	„ 23 –	2 25	3 25	4 50	
	„ 22 –	3 25	4 25	5 50	
	below 22 –	the importation is prohibited.			
BARLEY -	above 17 –	– 25	1 25	1 25	Exchange on London:
	at 17 –	1 25	2 25	3 50	30 days 25*f.* 35
	„ 16 –	2 25	3 25	4 50	90 d° 25*f.* 15
	„ 15 –	3 25	4 25	5 50	
	„ 14 –	4 25	5 25	6 50	Par of Exchange, 25*f.* 20.
	below 14 –	the importation is prohibited.			
OATS -	above 10 –	– 25	1 25	1 50	
	at 10 –	1 25	2 25	3 50	
	„ 9 –	2 25	3 25	4 50	
	„ 8 –	3 25	4 25	5 50	
	below 8 –	the importation is prohibited.			

Arch. Gordon.

—N° 6.—

Mr. Consul Ogilby to John Bidwell, Esquire.

British Consulate, Caen, March 30th, 1827.

SIR,

I HAD the honour duly to receive your Letter of the 28th ultimo, desiring, by Mr. Secretary Canning's directions, that I would use my best endeavours to collect information as to the Prices by which the Importation of Corn into this country is regulated; and that I would transmit Duplicate Copies of the same to his Department, in order to their being laid before the House of Commons.

In obedience to these commands, I have the honour herewith to enclose you, in duplicate, a correct Translation of a law promulgated on the 4th of July 1821, which regulates the rate of Price when Importation and Exportation of Corn is to be permitted into and out of France; with an Extract from the Tariff of Duties payable on the same, calculated in British money, and per British measure.

I am, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *William Ogilby*, Consul.

Enclosure in N° 6.

A TRANSLATION of the Law for regulating the Exportation and Importation of CORN, out of and into France; with a Table, showing the Duties in British Money, and per British Measure, payable thereon.

Done at the British Consulate Office at Caen,
this 27th day of March 1827, by me,

William Ogilby,
British Consul for the Department of Calvados,
&c. &c.

LAW RELATIVE TO THE EXPORTATION OF CORN.

Paris, July 4th, 1821.

LOUIS, by the Grace of God, King of France and Navarre, to all present, and to come, Greeting.

We have proposed, the Chambers have adopted; We have ordained, and ordain what follows:—

Article 1st.—The Departments on the frontiers of France, divided into three Classes for the Exportation of Corn, by virtue of the law of the 2d December 1814, shall be divided into four Classes, conformable to the Table hereunto annexed.

Article 2d.—The Exportation of Corn, Flour and Roots, shall be suspended in each Class, when Wheat shall have exceeded by two francs, the price fixed by the following article, as limit for importation.

Article 3d.—When the price of native Wheat shall be under 24 francs in the Departments of the First Class, 22 francs in those of the Second Class, 20 francs in the Third, and 18 francs in the Fourth, all introduction of Foreign Wheat and Flour for national consumption, shall be prohibited in the said Departments.

Article 4th.—The national Duty imposed by Article Second of the law of the 16th July 1819, on Foreign Wheats imported into France, shall be levied when the price of native Wheat shall have fallen in the First Class to 26 francs, in the Second Class to 24 francs, in the Third Class to 22 francs, and in the Fourth Class to 20 francs.

Article 5th.—The second additional Duty imposed by Article Third of the same law of 1819, shall be levied conformable to this article, when the price of native Wheat shall have fallen in each class below the rate indicated by the preceding article.

Article 6th.—The regulations of the law of the 16th July 1819, applicable to Rye and Indian Corn, and to the Flour of Rye and Indian Corn, by virtue of Art. 10 of said law, shall be put in execution when the price of these Corns shall have fallen to 19 francs the hectolitre, in the Departments of the First Class, to 17 francs in the Departments of the Second Class, to 15 francs in the Third Class, and to 13 francs in the Fourth.

And the prohibitions of these Corns and Flours shall take place when the price of these Corns shall have fallen below 16, 14, 12 and 10 francs.

Article 7th.—The Table of the regulating markets, annexed to the law before cited, is modified conformable to the Table hereunto annexed.

Article 8th.—The Average Price between the regulating markets of each Class or Section, shall be established without regard to the quantities sold in each market.

Article 9th.—The laws of the 2d December 1814, 16th July 1819, and 7th June 1820, relative to the Importation and Exportation of Corn and Flour, shall continue to be executed in every thing which is not contrary to the present.

The present law discussed, deliberated and adopted by the Chambers of Peers and Deputies, and sanctioned by us, this day, shall be executed as law of the State; we desire, in consequence, that it may be kept and observed in all our Kingdoms, Territories and Countries under our Dominion.

Hereby giving in command to our courts and tribunals, prefets, bodies of administration, and all others, that the present they keep and maintain, make, keep, observe and maintain; and to make them more public to all our subjects, they have them published and registered in every place where it shall be needful, for such is our pleasure; and to the end that it may be a thing firm and stable for ever, we have hereunto had affixed our seal.

Given at Paris in our Palace of the Tuileries, the 4th day of the month of July, in the year of Grace 1821, and of our reign the Twenty-seventh.

(signed) LOUIS.

By the King,
The Minister Secretary of State for the
Department of the Interior.
(signed) *Simeon.*

Viewed and sealed with the Great Seal,
the Keeper of the Great Seals of France,
Minister Secretary of State for the Department of Justice.
(signed) *H. De Serre.*

Enclosure in N° 6—*continued.*

TABLE of the Division into Four Classes of the Departments of France, with respect to the Exportation and Importation of CORN; with an indication of the proper regulating Markets in each Section of these Four Classes.

Sections.		Regulating Markets.
	Departments of the First Class: (Exportation is not to be permitted from these Departments, except when Wheat is under 25 francs the hectolitre.)	
I.	Pyrenées-Orientales, Aude, Herault, Gard, Bouches-du-Rhone, Var, and Corsica	Toulouse. Marseille. Fleurance. Gray.
	Departments of the Second Class: (Exportation is not to be permitted from these Departments, except when Wheat is under 23 francs the hectolitre.)	
1st.	Gironde, Landes, Basses-Pyrenées, Hautes-Pyrenées, Ariege and Haute-Garone	Marans. Bordeaux. Toulouse.
2d.	Basses-Alpes, Hautes-Alpes, Isère, Ain, Jura and Doubs	Gray. St. Laurent. Le Grand Lemps.
	Departments of the Third Class: (Exportation is not to be permitted from these Departments, except when Wheat is under 21 francs the hectolitre.)	
1st.	Haute-Rhin and Bas-Rhin	Mulhausen. Strasbourg
2d.	Nord, Pas-de-Calais, Somme, Seine Inferieur, Eure and Calvados	Bergues. Arras. Roye. Soissons. Paris. Rouen.
3d.	Loire-Inferieure, Vendée and Charante-Inferieure	Saumur. Nantes. Marans.
	Departments of the Fourth Class: (Exportation is not to be permitted from these Departments, except when Wheat is under 19 francs the hectolitre.)	
1st.	Moselle, Meuse, Ardennes and Aisne	Metz. Verdun. Charleville. Soissons.
2d.	Manche, Ille-et-Vilaine, Cotes-du-Nord, Finisterre and Morbihan	St. Lo. Paimpol. Quimper. Hennebon. Nantes.

Enclosure in N° 6—*continued.*

EXTRACT from the TARIFF of DUTIES payable on the Importation and Exportation of WHEAT, BARLEY and OATS, into and out of France; with the Rate of Price when Importation is prohibited.

ARTICLES.	Prices in French Money. CLASSES. 1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	French Measure	Duty in French Money on Importation, per French Measure. By FRENCH VESSELS, Coming direct from the Country of Production.	By FRENCH VESSELS, Coming from any other Country than the one of Production.	By Foreign Vessels, and by Land.
	fr.	*fr.*	*fr.*	*fr.*		*fr. cents.*	*fr. cents.*	*fr. cents.*
WHEAT when above	26	24	22	20	the Hectolitre	– 25	1 25	1 25
WHEAT when at	26	24	22	20	d°	1 25	2 25	3 50
WHEAT when at	25	23	21	19	d°	2 25	3 25	4 50
WHEAT when at	24	22	20	18	d°	3 25	4 25	5 50
WHEAT when under	24	22	20	18	d°	prohibited	prohibited	prohibited
OATS when above	11	10	10	9	d°	– 25	1 25	1 25
OATS when at	11	10	10	9	d°	1 25	2 25	3 50
OATS when at	10	9	9	8	d°	2 25	3 25	4 50
OATS when at	9	8	8	7	d°	3 25	4 25	5 50
OATS when under	9	8	8	7	d°	prohibited	prohibited	prohibited
BARLEY at all prices	–	–	–	–	d°	– 25	1 25	1 25

ARTICLES.	Prices in sterling Money, per Winchester Quarter, according to the par of Exchange. CLASSES. 1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	Duty on Importation in Sterling Money, at the par of Exchange, per Winchester Quarter. By FRENCH VESSELS, Coming direct from the Country of Production.	By FRENCH VESSELS, Coming from any other Country than the one of Production.	By Foreign Vessels, and by Land.	Duty on Exportation in sterling Money, at the par of Exchange per Winchester Quarter.
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
WHEAT when above	58 10 3/4	54 4 1/2	49 10	45 3 3/4	– 6 3/4	2 10	2 10	
WHEAT when at	58 10 3/4	54 4 1/2	49 10	45 3 3/4	2 10	5 1 1/2	7 11 1/4	
WHEAT when at	57 5 1/4	52 11	47 4 3/4	42 10 1/2	5 1 1/2	7 4 1/2	10 2 1/4	– 5 1/2
WHEAT when at	54 4 1/2	49 10	45 3 3/4	40 9 1/2	7 4 1/2	9 7 3/4	12 5 1/2	
WHEAT when under	54 4 1/2	49 10	45 3 3/4	40 9 1/2	prohibited	prohibited	prohibited	
OATS when above	24 11	22 7 3/4	22 7 3/4	20 4 1/2	– 6 3/4	2 10	2 10	
OATS when at	24 11	22 7 3/4	22 7 3/4	20 4 1/2	2 10	5 1 1/2	7 11 1/4	
OATS when at	22 7 3/4	20 4 1/2	20 4 1/2	18 1 1/4	5 1 1/2	7 4 1/2	10 2 1/4	– 3 1/2
OATS when at	20 4 1/2	18 1 1/4	18 1 1/4	15 10	7 4 1/2	9 7 3/4	12 5 1/2	
OATS when under	20 4 1/2	18 1 1/4	18 1 1/4	15 10	prohibited	prohibited	prohibited	
BARLEY at all prices	– – – at all prices – – –				– 6 3/4	2 10	2 10	– 4 1/2

—N° 7.—

Mr. Consul Perrier to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, British Consulate, Brest, 16 March 1827.

IN reply to your despatch of 28th February, I enclose a Statement of the Prices (in British money, and per Winchester quarter), which Corn must have reached, before it can be by law imported into the Departments of Finisterre and Morbihan; and the Duties payable thereon.

I have the the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Anthony Perrier.*

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 7.

STATEMENT of Prices which Corn must have reached before it can by Law be imported into the Departments of Finisterre and Morbihan, and the Duties payable thereon.

SPECIES of CORN.	PRICES (Per Winchester Quarter,) at which Corn is allowed to be Imported, calculated at Exchange 25.	DUTIES Per Winchester Quarter, When coming from Place of Growth.	When coming from elsewhere than Place of Growth.	Per Foreign Ship, and by Land.
		£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
WHEAT	when over - 2 5 -¼	- - 6¾	- 2 9¾	- 2 9¾
	„ at - 2 5 -¼	- 2 9¾	- 5 -¼	- 7 10½
	„ at - 2 2 10¼	- 5 -¼	- 7 4	- 10 1½
	„ at - 2 - 7	- 7 4	- 9 7	- 12 6
	under - 2 - 7	prohibited.	prohibited.	prohibited.
RYE AND INDIAN CORN.	when over - 1 9 3¾	- - 6¾	- 2 9¾	- 2 9¾
	„ at - 1 9 3¾	- 2 9¾	- 5 -¼	- 7 10½
	„ at - 1 7 -¼	- 5 -¼	- 7 4	- 10 1½
	„ at - 1 4 9½	- 7 4	- 9 7	- 12 6
	„ at - 1 2 6½	- 9 7	- 11 10	- 14 7½
	under - 1 2 6½	prohibited.	prohibited.	prohibited.
OATS	when over - 1 - -	- - 6¾	- 2 9¾	- 2 9¾
	„ at - 1 - -	- 2 9¾	- 5 -¼	- 7 10½
	„ at - - 18 -½	- 5 -¼	- 7 4	- 10 1½
	„ at - - 15 9¼	- 7 4	- 9 7	- 12 6
	under - - 15 9¼	prohibited.	prohibited.	prohibited.
BARLEY	always admitted -	- - 6¾	- 2 9¾	- 2 9¾

British Consulate, Brest, 16th March 1827. *Anthony Perrier.*

—N° 8.—

Consul Sir Richard Clayton to John Bidwell, Esquire.

British Consulate, Nantes, March 19th, 1827.

SIR,

AFTER every exertion in my power, and the minutest attention to your Despatch of the 28th February, informing me "His Majesty had been graciously pleased to direct the British Consuls in France, Flanders, Portugal and Spain, to state the price in British money, which the various species of Grain, namely Wheat, Barley and Oats, must have reached in those several countries respectively per quarter, before the same can by law be imported into those several countries from other parts of the world, specifying the duties, if any, which may be payable on such importation;"—I have only to report that there is not any account whatever of the importation of any species of Corn into my Consular Department, with the exception of three hundred quarters of Wheat imported from Holland in the year 1816, which were immediately re-shipped for Bordeaux. There was not any duty paid on their importation; and from the superabundant quantity of every species of Grain grown in this department, the duty on its importation seems to have been a "casus omissus" with the French Government, and a protecting duty to have been considered unnecessary till called for by some emergency.

In my Corn Return of the 17th September 1826, I stated the exportation of Wheat was prohibited when it had reached the price of 22 francs the hectolitre or 52*s* 6*d*. the English quarter.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient humble servant,

R^d Clayton.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

—N° 9.—

Mr. Consul Close to John Bidwell, Esquire.

British Consulate, Charente, March 15th, 182-.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of 28th ult. inclosing a copy of a letter addressed to J. Planta, Esq. by the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, also a copy of an Order from the House of Commons, requiring certain information concerning the Importation of Wheat, Barley and Oats, into France.

In answer thereto, I inform you, that the importation of Wheat is allowed in this department when its price is at or above 47/4 per Winchester quarter.

The Import Duty thereon varies according to circumstances, as follows:—

When the Grain is imported in a French or British vessel, from a country of which it is the growth or produce, and the price is

at 47/4	per Winchester	quarter, the	Duty is	7/7	per same measure.
at 49/8	- d°	- - -	d°	5/3½	d°
at 52/0¾	- d°	- - -	d°	2/11½	d°
above 52/0¾	- d°	- - -	d°	7*d.*	d°

There is an additional Duty of 2/4 per quarter on Wheat imported in a French or British vessel, from a country of which it is not the produce.

When the Grain is imported in a Foreign vessel, or by land carriage, and the price is

at 47/4	per Winchester	quarter, the	Duty is	13/0	
at 49/8½	- d°	- - -	d°	10/7	per Winchester quarter.
at 52/0¾	- d°	- - -	d°	8/3	
and above 52/0¾	d°		d°	2/11	

The Importation of Barley is allowed when that of Wheat is permitted, without regard to its price. The Duty thereon does not vary according to its price, but is fixed when imported by French or British vessels,

at 7*d.* per Winchester quarter,
and by Foreign Vessels, or by land,
at 2/11 per said measure.

The Importation of Oats is allowed when the price is at or above 18/11 per Winchester quarter.

At that price, being imported in a French or British vessel from the country whereof they are the growth, the duty thereon is 7/7 per Winchester quarter

at 21/3	- -	it is	- -	5/3½	d°
at 23/8	- -	it is	- -	2/11½	d°
and above 23/8	- -	it is	- -	7*d.*	d°

Oats, like Wheat, are liable to the additional duty when imported by a French or British vessel, from a country of which they are not the produce.

When imported by a Foreign vessel, or by land carriage, the price being

at 18/11	per Winchester	quarter, the	Duty is	13/-	
at 21/3½	- d°	- -	d°	10/7	per Winchester quarter.
at 23/8	- d°	- -	d°	8/3	
and above 23/8	- d°	- -	d°	2/11	

In all cases, and for all sorts of Grain, there is an addition of 10 per cent charged on the total amount of the duty levied.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

J. Close.

—N° 10.—

Mr. Consul Scott to John Bidwell, Esquire.

His Majesty's Consulate,

SIR, Bourdeaux, March 10, 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Dispatch of the 28th ultimo, with its enclosure, and in obedience to Mr. Secretary Canning's instructions, I transmit herewith a Statement of the Average Prices, in British money, which the various species of Corn must reach in the regulating markets of this Section, per quarter, before the same can by law be imported into the ports of the Department of the Gironde from other ports in the World; with a Statement of the duties payable on such importations.

I am, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *H. Scott.*

&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 10.

A STATEMENT of the AVERAGE PRICES, in British money, which the various species of CORN must reach in the regulating markets of this Section, per quarter, before the same can by law be imported into the ports of the Department of the Gironde from other ports in the World; with a Statement of the Duties payable on such Importation, viz.—

ARTICLES.	Price per Quarter in British Money.	Duties per Quarter per French Vessels. When imported from Places of Production.	Duties per Quarter per French Vessels. When imported from Places of entrepôt.	Duties per Quarter per Foreign Vessels.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
WHEAT Above - -	2 16 -	- - 7 5/6	- 2 10	- 2 10
WHEAT at - -	2 16 -	- 2 10	- 5 3	- 8 2
WHEAT at - -	2 13 8	- 5 3	- 7 7	- 10 6
WHEAT at - -	2 11 4	- 7 7	- 9 11	- 12 10
	The importation of Wheat is prohibited when the average price is under £. 2. 11 s. 4 d. per quarter.			
BARLEY - -	The importation is always allowed on payment of a duty of 2s. 10 d. and 10 per cent over, per quarter.			
OATS Above - -	1 2 8	- - 6 3/4	- 2 10	- 2 10
OATS at - -	1 2 8	- 2 10	- 5 1 1/6	- 7 11 1/4
OATS at - -	1 - 4 1/4	- 5 1 1/6	- 7 4 3/8	- 10 2 3/8
OATS at - -	- 18 1 7/12	- 7 4 1/4	- 9 7 7/12	- 12 5 3/8
	The importation of Oats is prohibited when the average price is under 18s. 1 7/12 d. per quarter.			

REMARKS.—For the Corn Trade, France is divided into four classes, and each class in two and three sections. Each section has its regulating markets for the average price of Corn, and that average price forms the basis of the restrictions on imports and exports, for each section and class respectively.

Bordeaux is in the first section of the second class. The regulating markets are Marans, Bordeaux, and Toulouse.

The calculation of this statement is made at the rate of 280 hectolitres for a hundred quarters of Wheat, and 272 hectolitres for a hundred quarters of Barley and Oats. The exchange is calculated at 24 francs per sterling pound.

Bordeaux, March 10, 1827. *H. Scott.*

—N° 11.—

Mr. Consul Harvey to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, Bayonne, 14th March, 1827.

IN conformity with the instructions contained in your Dispatch of 28th ult. I beg leave to forward to you, herewith, an account of the Prices in British Money, per Quarter, of Wheat, Oats and Barley, and the Duties payable thereon on Importation from other ports of the World, to the port of Bayonne.

I have, &c,

(signed) *J. V. Harvey.*

John Bidwell, Esq.

&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 11.

AN ACCOUNT of the Prices in British Money which the various Species of CORN; viz. WHEAT, OATS and BARLEY, must reach in the Port of Bayonne, per Winchester Quarter, of Eight Bushels, before the same can be permitted for Home Consumption, imported from other Ports of the World; and also an Account of the several Duties payable on such Importation.

Price Per Winchester Quarter at the Par of Exchange.	Duty per Winchester Quarter when imported in a French Vessel, and from the Country, of which the Grain is the Produce, at Par.	Duty per Winchester Quarter when imported in a French Vessel, and from a Country of which the Grain is not the Produce, at Par.	Duty per Winchester Quarter when imported in Foreign Vessels, or introduced by Land, at Par.	OBSERVATIONS.
WHEAT.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	
Above - £.2 16 —	— — 7	— 2 11	— 2 11	
at - - 2 16 —	— 2 11	— 5 3	— 8 2	
at - - 2 13 8	— 5 3	— 7 7	— 10 6	10 per cent is chargeable *in addition* on the amount of the several Duties herein stated. The Port of Bayonne is open for the import and warehousing of Foreign Corn; but it cannot be sold for Home Consumption, until the averages reaches the prices herein specified.
at - - 2 11 4	— 7 7	— 9 11	— 12 10	
under - - 2 11 4	prohibited for home consumption.			
OATS.				
Above - £.1 3 4	— — 7	— 2 11	— 2 11	
at - - 1 3 4	— 2 11	— 5 3	— 8 2	
at - - — 19 4	— 5 3	— 7 7	— 10 6	
at - - — 18 8	— 7 7	— 9 11	— 12 10	
under - - — 18 8	prohibited for home consumption.			
BARLEY.				
Without regard to or limit of price	— — 7	— 2 11	— 2 11	

His Britannic Majesty's Consulate,

Bayonne, 14th March 1827.

J. V. Harvey.

— N° 12.—

Mr. Consul Turnbull to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, Marseilles, 16th March 1827.

IN obedience to the directions of Mr. Secretary Canning, communicated in your Dispatch of the 28th of February last, I have now the honour to transmit, inclosed, " A Return of the Prices in British Money, which the various species of Corn, namely, Wheat, Barley and Oats, must have reached in this Section of France, per Quarter, before the same can by law be imported into that Section from other parts of the World; specifying the District, if any, which may be payable on such Importation."

I have, &c.

Alex. Turnbull.

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 12.

RETURN of the Price reduced into British Money, at the Par of Exchange of *f.* 25. 20. per £. sterling, which Wheat, Barley and Oats must have reached in this Section of France, comprising the Southern Departments on the Mediterranean, per Quarter, before the same can by law be imported into this Section from other parts of the World; specifying the Duties which are there payable on such Importation.

WHEAT - - - - - *f.* 24 per Hector. - or - 53*s.* 8 ½ *d.* per Quarter.

Duties payable thereon:

	Per Hecto.	Per Quarter.
By French Ships from places of production - -	*f.* 3. 25. - or -	7*s.* 3½*d.*
from other places - - -	4. 25. - or -	9. 6.
By Foreign Ships from all places - - - -	5. 50. - or -	12. 3½.

OATS - - - - - - *f.* 9. per Hector. - or - 20*s.* 1½*d.* per Quarter.

Duties payable thereon:
The same as the above on Wheat.

BARLEY - - - may be admitted at all times without any restriction, on payment of a permanent duty of,

	Per Hecto.	Per Quarter.
By French Ships from places of production - -	*f.* 0. 25. - or -	0*s.* 6¾*d.*
By all Ships from other places - - - - } By Foreign Ships from places of production - - }	1. 25. - or -	2. 9½

Marseilles, 16 March 1827. *Alex^r Turnbull.*

— N° 13. —

Mr. Consul Larpent to John Bidwell, Esquire.

Antwerp, 13th March 1827.

SIR,

IN reply to your Letter of the 28th ultimo, with its Enclosures, containing Mr. Secretary Canning's directions "to state the Prices, in British money, "which the various species of Corn, namely, Wheat, Barley and Oats, must "have reached, per Quarter, respectively, before the same can by law be imported, I have the honour to transmit the enclosed Statement, which contains all the information I can collect upon the subject.

I have, &c.

(signed) *I. J. De Hochepied Larpent.*

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 13.

DUTY paid upon Importation of the under-mentioned Species of CORN.

ARTICLES.	MEASURE.	Import Duty, as per Tarif of Customs.	REMARKS.
		£. s. d.	
WHEAT - - - -	per quarter -	– 3 8 ½	By the law of 10th January 1825, the King reserved to himself the power of diminishing the duty according to circumstances.
BARLEY - - - -	d° - -	– 2 –	
OATS - - - -	d° - -	– 1 1 ¼	

Antwerp, this 13th March 1827. *I. J. De Hochepied Larpent.*

—N° 14.—

Mr. Consul Heyland to John Bidwell, Esquire.

British Consulate, Ostend, 24th March 1827.

SIR,

AGREEABLE to the Instructions I have had the honour to receive in your last Letter, I herewith enclose you Copies of the Duties now in force, by which the importation of *all* Foreign Corn is regulated in the Netherlands. I beg however to state, that its admission at those duties is entirely independent of the state of its indigenous produce.

I have, &c.

Langford Heyland.

John Bidwell, Esquire,
&c. &c. &c.

Enclosure in N° 14.

Ostend, March 14, 1827.

LIST of DUTIES by which the Importations of Foreign Corn (from whatever parts of the World) are regulated in the Kingdom of the Netherlands, without having regard to the state of Price of its own Produce.

		DUTY per British Quarter in Pence.
		d.
WHEAT - -	Wheat at *fl.* 11. 25 *cents.* per 1,000 lb. new weight or former kilogrammes. Average weight of 1 hectolitre 80 lb.; thus 1,000 lb. contain $12\frac{1}{2}$ hectolitres; now 20 hectolitres being 7 quarters (as near as possible) $12\frac{1}{2}$ hectolitres contain $4\frac{3}{8}$ quarters; $4\frac{3}{8}$ quarters admissible at *fl.* $11\frac{1}{4}$ render the quarter at *fl.* $2\frac{4}{7}$. The average exchange *fl.* 12 per £. sterling, yields the British quarter at $4/3\frac{3}{7}$ - - or - - - - - -	$51\frac{3}{7}$
RYE - -	Rye at *fl.* 7. 50 *cents.* per 1,000 lb. weight, as above. Average weight per hectolitre 70 lb.; thus 1,000 lb. contain $14\frac{2}{7}$ hectolitres; again 20 hectolitres being 7 quarters; $14\frac{2}{7}$ hect. give 5 quarters; 5 quarters per *fl.* 7. 50. render the quarter at *fl.* 1. 50 *cents.* or at the above exchange 2/6 - - or - - - - -	30
BARLEY - -	Barley at *fl.* 12 per last of 30 hectolitres, or $10\frac{1}{2}$ quarters, yields at the same exchange, the quarter at $1/10\frac{6}{7}$ - - or - - - - - - -	$22\frac{6}{7}$
OATS - -	Oats at *fl.* 7 per last of 30 hectolitres, or $10\frac{1}{2}$ quarters, yield when reduced by the same rate of exchange, the quarter at $1/1\frac{1}{3}$ - - or - - - - - -	$13\frac{1}{3}$
BEANS - -	Beans at *fl.* 6 per last, as above, and per same rate of exchange, the quarter is chargeable with $11\frac{3}{7}d.$ - or	$11\frac{3}{7}$

Langford Heyland.

CORN.

RETURNS

Relative to the Prices which CORN must have reached, before it can be imported into *France, Flanders, Spain* and *Portugal*; — and to the DUTIES payable on such Importation.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,*
9 *April* 1827.

CORN.

FURTHER

RETURNS RELATIVE TO THE PRICES WHICH CORN MUST HAVE REACHED,

Before it can be imported into *France*, *Flanders*, *Spain* and *Portugal*;

AND TO THE DUTIES PAYABLE ON SUCH IMPORTATION:

VIZ.

N° 15.—Mr. Consul Gen[l] Matthews to John Bidwell, Esq.—Lisbon, 24th March 1827.

N° 16.—Mr. Consul Gen[l] Meade to John Bidwell, Esq.—Madrid, 9th April 1827.

N° 17.—Mr. Pro Consul Santos to John Bidwell, Esq.—Corunna, 3d April 1827.

N° 18.—Mr. Consul Brackenbury to John Bidwell, Esq.—Cadiz, 2d April 1827.

N° 19.—Mr. Vice Consul Fasha to John Bidwell, Esq.—Malaga, 28th March 1827.

N° 20.—Mr. Consul Waring to John Bidwell, Esq.—Alicante, 21st March.

N° 21.—Mr. Consul Annesley to John Bidwell, Esq.—Barcelona, 28th March 1827.

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—N° 15.—

Mr. Consul General Matthews to John Bidwell, Esquire.

British Consulate General, Lisbon, 24th March 1827.

SIR,

IN obedience to the instructions of Mr. Secretary Canning, conveyed in your Dispatch of the 28th ultimo, with the order from The House of Commons, requiring to be informed of the different Prices which Wheat, Barley and Oats must have reached in Portugal per quarter, before the same can by law be imported from other parts of the world; specifying the duties, if any, which may be payable on importation;—

I beg leave to state, that previous to the 15th of October 1824, a law of the extinct Cortes was in vigour, bearing date the 28th of April 1821; an extract of which I had the honour to transmit in my dispatch of the 21st of January 1826. By this, Foreign Wheat was allowed to be imported, whenever the price of the country Wheat exceeded 800 reas the alqueire; making at the exchange of 51 pence per milrei, £. 3. 12*s.* sterling per quarter. Barley and Oats were admitted without any maximum of price, merely on payment of a duty of 3*s.* 6*d.* per quarter, besides that of 1*s.* 9*d.* mesurage or sale, payable on all Corn whatever sold in the market.

The royal Alvará of the 15th of October 1824, repealing the former decree, altered the system entirely, and is the law at present in vigour. The importation of Foreign Wheat is made dependent upon the produce of the harvest; and government issues an order for the admission of the quantity of Wheat there may be deficient for the year, on the Report of the Inspector General of the Corn Market at Lisbon, and on that of the corporations or camaras of Oporto and Bragança, made every year on the 30th of September. These authorities, therefore, admit whatever quantity of Wheat may be deemed requisite for the consumption of the country, without reference to the price of Corn in the market. Hard Wheat thus admitted into Lisbon, pays a duty of 17*s.* the quarter, and soft Wheat of 8*s.* 6*d.*

Foreign Barley, Oats and Rye are admitted at all times into the port of Lisbon, on payment of a duty of R$ 1,200. or 5*s.* 1*d.* per quarter, subject to the mesurage duty of 1*s.* 9*d.* payable on the sale of all Corn.

Foreign Wheat and Rye, when admitted into Oporto, pay 12*s.* and Barley and Oats 6*s.* 10*d.* per quarter.

All the Corn it may have been found necessary to introduce into the country through Bragança, pays one half of the duties levied at Oporto, owing to local considerations respecting the province of Tras os Montes.

A law passed the Chambers of the Cortes the day before yesterday, laying a further duty of 1*s.* 9*d.* the quarter on all Foreign Corn imported in virtue of the above mentioned law, into Lisbon and Oporto, and of 5*s.* 1*d.* on Foreign soft Wheat thus imported; also a duty of 11*d.* the quarter on all Corn, the produce of Portugal, the Algarves, and the Portuguese Islands, that may be brought to Lisbon or any other port of the kingdom.

Thus the duty payable on Foreign hard Wheat, when allowed to be imported into Portugal, may be considered at 18*s.* and upon soft 13*s.* 7*d.* per quarter.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esquire (signed) *R. Matthews.*

&c. &c. &c.

—N° 16.—

Mr. Consul General Meade to John Bidwell, Esquire.

Madrid, April 9th, 1827.

SIR,

IN obedience to the instructions contained in your Letter of the 28th of last February, to which is annexed a copy of the Address of the House of Commons, "praying that His Majesty's Consuls in Spain, &c. &c. may be instructed to transmit information as to the prices by which the Importation of Corn into those countries is regulated;"—I have the honour to forward to you, to be laid before Mr. Secretary Canning, the best information that I have been able to procure upon that subject.

Foreign Wheat is not allowed to be imported into Spain, except by a special Decree, issued by the King. Formerly there was a standing order allowing this Grain to entry, when the price of the Country Wheat at from 75 to 80 rials de Vellon, the Castillian faniga * (which according to the present exchange, is about from 75 to 80 shillings the quarter) at the ports assigned for its introduction, and even then the provincial corporations and the commercial tribunals (consulados) had to petition for leave to import, which was always granted on paying a duty, to be fixed by the Minister of Finance.

The last admission of Foreign Wheat into this country was in 1824 and 25, which, however, was not granted on account of any scarcity of Grain in the country, but originated in a particular grant to an individual, and the duty fixed at ten rials the faniga, about ten shillings the quarter. Said duty to remain in the hands of the importer, towards payment of a sum due to him by the Government, for repairing Spanish vessels of war.

Barley was also admitted to entry in 1824 and 25, on paying a duty of five shillings the quarter.

Oats is little consumed in this country, but when imported, would in all probability pay half the duty imposed on Barley.

Permission was granted by the King to import Foreign Wheat in 1826, into the Islands of Majorca, Minorca and Ivica, on paying a duty of 18 rials de Vellon the faniga, or 18 shillings the quarter.

The faniga of soft Wheat weighs ninety-one pounds.

The measure of the faniga for buying and selling is different in all the provinces; but the one I have described in the margin is the standard measure at all the royal Custom-houses, and on which the calculations must be made.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esquire, *T. Meade.*
&c. &c. &c.

—N° 17.—

Mr. Pro Consul Santos to John Bidwell, Esquire.

Corunna, 3d April 1827.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter, dated 28th February last, informing me by orders of Mr. Secretary Canning, that His Majesty had been graciously pleased to direct the British Consuls in France, Flanders, Spain and Portugal, to state the prices in British money, which the various species of Corn, namely, Wheat, Barley, and Oats must have reached in those several countries respectively per quarter, before the same can be imported by law into those several countries from other parts of the world.

In compliance thereof, I have the honour to inform you, that at present no sort of Grain (Rice excepted) is allowed to be imported into Spain from any foreign country, and no stipulated rule or order exists of price reaching for its importation without special order from this Government.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esquire, *Benito Santos.*
&c. &c. &c.

* *Five* Fanigas *are equal* to one quarter minus six quarts.

—N° 18.—

Mr. Consul Brackenbury to John Bidwell, Esq.

British Consulate, Cadiz, April 2, 1827.

SIR,

I AM to acknowledge your Circular of the 28th of February, which I received on the 23d ultimo, enclosing copy of the Address of the House of Commons to His Majesty, on the 26th February, and desiring me to use my best endeavours to collect and transmit, in duplicate, the information therein required, and in reply, have the honour to acquaint you, that whatever prices Wheat, Barley and Oats may reach, they cannot, by any law or regulation now in force, be imported into this province.

The only law existing, prohibits the importation and exportation of all Grain throughout Spain.

I have the honour, Sir, to be, &c.

J. M. Brackenbury.

John Bidwell, Esq.

—N° 19.—

Mr. Vice Consul Fasha to John Bidwell, Esq.

SIR, British Consulate, Malaga, 28th March 1827.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular of the 28th ultimo, and in answer, I beg leave to state, for the information of Mr. Secretary Canning, that Foreign Corn of all kinds are prohibited to entry in all the ports of this district, and I believe the same to be in every other port throughout the kingdom, and only Wheat will be allowed to be imported, when that of their own produce encreases to 80 reals of Vellon, equal to 17 shillings and 9 pence sterling per fanega, " one-fifth of a quarter of 8 bushels," without attending to the portion in existence.

In April last, a permission was granted, " ending the 30th June d°," to some of the sea port towns, Malaga being one, to import Foreign Wheat, establishing a duty thereon of 10 reals Vellon, equal to 2 shillings and 2 pence sterling per fanega, the amount of said duty to be expended in the repairs of the San Pedro de Alcantara, a line of battle ship at that time in the Carraca dock-yard.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. *N. E. Fasha.*
&c. &c. &c.

—N° 20.—

Mr. Consul Waring to John Bidwell, Esquire.

British Consulate, Province of Valencia,

SIR, Alicante, March 21st, 1827.

IN compliance with the contents of your Dispatch, dated the 28th ultimo, I have to mention, that about three months ago instructions were received from government at the Custom-houses in this Province, not to admit to entry any Grain whatever, from Foreign ports or places, without a royal order for so doing being previously issued; but it is not stated under what circumstances such royal order will be granted; so that the importation of the various species of Corn is now absolutely prohibited in this Province.

Before the receipt of the instructions above mentioned, the importation of Wheat into the ports of this Province from those of all foreign countries was allowed when the price of it should have reached, pesos 24 per cahis; which, at the par

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of exchange, is equal to 82*s.* 3*d.* sterling per quarter Winchester measure, and then the importation would have been free of every duty, as would Barley and Oats, the importation of which was regulated by the above price of Wheat.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(signed) *Jasper Waring.*

John Bidwell, Esq.
&c. &c.

— N° 21.—

Mr. Consul Annesley to John Bidwell, Esquire.

SIR, Barcelona, March 28th, 1827.

I HAD the honour to receive by the last post, your Dispatch of the 28th of February, together with its enclosures, in which you desire me to state (in duplicate) the prices, in British money, which the various species of Corn, namely, Wheat, Barley and Oats, must have reached respectively per quarter, before the same can by law be imported into this country from other parts of the world, specifying the duties, if any, which may be payable on such importation.

I beg leave to state, that according to the information I have obtained, the importation into this country of all Foreign Corn, of every species, is strictly prohibited; and that there exists no fixed or limited price at which Corn, the growth of the country must reach, to the end that at that period, by the law of the land, Foreign Grain may be admitted. The opening of the ports for the admission of Foreign Wheat, Barley and Oats, as well as the duties attending such admission, depends at present solely upon the exigencies of the moment, and such laws as His Catholic Majesty's government may deem it expedient to adopt for the time being.

I have the honour to be, &c.

John Bidwell, Esq. (signed) *James Annesley.*

&c. &c. &c.

CORN.

FURTHER RETURNS

Relative to the Prices which CORN must have reached, before it can be imported into *France*, *Flanders*, *Spain* and *Portugal*; — and to the DUTIES payable on such Importation.

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed*, 21 *May* 1827.